

THE MACLEOD TIMES

Wishes
the people
of
Macleod
and
District
A Happy
and
Prosperous
New Year

"COMING EVENTS CAST THEIR SHADOWS BEFORE"

Don't forget the big New Year's Eve Dance to be given by the G. W. V. A.

FACTS ABOUT THE GREAT FAMINE IN HONAN, CHINA

THE S.O.S. CRY OF FORTY MILLIONS

While Canadians enjoy peace and plenty there is raging in the Province of Honan, China the worst famine that has been known to any of the living Chinese. Such is the word that comes from Missionaries in the field to individuals and to the various Mission Boards. So urgent is the appeal for help that a special meeting of the Presbytery of Calgary was called to consider what could be done.

The following facts from authentic sources were laid before the meeting:

The famine area is about 40,000 square miles. When in the spring and early summer the early rains failed, the people kept hoping against hope for the later rains of July, but these too completely failed. The people became panic-stricken, and well they might. Whole regions became as a desert—not a blade of grass or sign of living green. Farmers of property who had grain to spare were forced by starving neighbors to give the grain till now even the formerly wealthy landowners are facing starvation with their poorer neighbors. Large numbers began trekking westward over mountainous roads towards Shansi, hearing of good crops in the western part of that province. The first ones safely passed the mountain barriers, but when famine conditions began to be felt in Eastern Shansi orders were given for soldiers to hold the passes and drive the Honan refugees back. The starving people were not allowed into the villages, nor were they even permitted to sleep in the wayside temples. Many lost heart and died by the roadside. One of our missionaries went to the Mission gate after supper after supper one evening and before dark had counted over 500 refugees fleeing westward. We were told of girls being tied to trees by their parents, to keep them from following, and left to starve; of children being thrown into the river; of husbands poisoning their wives and children to spare them suffering. Many of the awful details cannot be given—only sufficient to make us realize a little what grim relentless awful famine is. Even the crows and jackdaws have left some regions.

The situation is appalling. Something must be done immediately. A large number of Canadian missionaries are in the centre of the famine district doing everything possible. A superhuman, stupendous task lies before them—absolute starvation practically everywhere. It is estimated that 40,000,000 people are affected. The Presbytery decided to make a public appeal to all classes regardless of their denominational affiliations and appointed the following committee to take the necessary action: Rev. A. D. Reid, Dr. J. Macartney Wilson, Rev. R. N. Matheson (Gleichen), Messrs. C. J. Campbell, J. A. Clark and T. Humphries. The latter was appointed Local Treasurer of the fund.

Here is an opportunity for churches, Sunday schools, U.F.A. and other organizations to assist in relieving the wants of these starving millions. Every dollar contributed will be sent to the sufferers. The first contribution received was a cheque from Grace Sunday School, Calgary, for \$100.00. Make all cheques and orders payable to,

T. HUMPHRIES,
Assistant Post Office Inspector
902 Lancaster Bldg., Calgary.

The man who has to wait upon himself at home is the first to kick about the service in a first-class hotel.

FARMERS ARE BEARING AN UNDUCE PROPORTION OF PRICE DEFLATION

HAMILTON, Ont., Dec. 23.—The farmer has had to accept the heaviest financial loss of any one class in the community during the past year, declared Hon. F. C. Biggs, minister of public works for Ontario, in addressing a round table conference of representative manufacturers, merchants, business men and labor representatives here last night. "It may surprise you," continued Mr. Biggs, "to learn that the produce for which a farmer received one dollar a year ago now brings 51 cents. The farmer, who still had to pay peak prices for everything he bought, was bearing an undue proportion of the present deflation," Mr. Biggs said.—Calgary Herald.

NEW DIRECTORY FOR ALBERTA

The first issue of Wrigley's Alberta Directory is just being delivered. The 1920 issue comprises 832 pages, the first 74 pages containing an early history of the Province, the personnel of the Alberta Government, together with a list of all officials of the various departments of the Government, both at Edmonton and throughout the Province, with short articles giving the jurisdiction of the various departments, and indicating the great resources of the Province; the names of all Dominion Government officials throughout the Province are also given in this section, and the book contains scenes and views throughout the Province, and all maps covering all automobile routes in the Province.

The gazetteer portion of the book deals with 1975 separate and distinct cities, towns, villages and settlements in the Province.

Locates Obscure Places

There are 1178 post offices in the Province, leaving 197 places which have not post office, and in all of these cases, the directory gives the name of the nearest post office, and tells how mail should be addressed to reach the residents. Only about one-third of the places in the Province can be located from any other source.

While there are 1975 communities in the Province there are only 8 places with a population of over 200. 230 towns having a hotel and 27 towns in which banks are located. The directory gives the names of all business and professional people, together with heads of departments.

A classified business directory, giving the names of all business firms, all manufacturers, wholesalers and distributors in the Province is contained in the directory, classified under 385 headings, with 103 cross references.

Size of Chief Towns

The directory census is based on estimates, and the following populations may be accepted as fairly accurate: Calgary 70,000; Edmonton 68,000; Lethbridge 14,000; Medicine Hat 13,000; Red Deer, 3000; Wetaskiwin, 2500.

In addition to a directory of these six cities it includes 51 towns, 108 villages and 178 municipal districts, giving a population of 615,000. The Dominion Government estimate of the population of British Columbia is 708,000.



TOM MOORE in "The Gay Lord Quex"

Empress Friday and Saturday. What would you do if you were to be discovered in a woman's apartment at a week-end party at midnight? Tom Moore finds himself in this predicament in his latest Goldwyn picture, "The Gay Lord Quex," and for a moment is entirely at sea as to what to do, but only for a moment. He conceives a brilliant plan by which he draws the discoverer into the embarrassment of the situation and thus saves the woman in the case from the tongues of scandal. His self-sacrifice in the matter meets with instant appreciation from his late enemy and results in paving the way to his happiness.

Girls may never become successful pugilists, but they will continue to train for the engagement ring.

SALVATION ARMY

Come to the Enrollment Service (conducted by Lieut. Battersby, commanding officer of the Macleod Salvation Army Corps) on Sunday, Jan. 2nd, 1921, commencing at 7.30 p.m. Also, don't forget the Holiness Meeting at 11 a.m. You are invited.

GOLD COAST IS SEEKING TRADE WITH DOMINION

By E. C. Longworth
(Special Cable to The Calgary Herald from The Cross-Atlantic News Service Limited, Copyright.)

LONDON, Dec. 27.—Great impetus in trade between Canada and the Gold Coast will result if recommendations by Brig-General Frederick G. Guggisberg, governor of the Gold Coast are carried out following Toronto recommendations through the overseas department of the Board of Trade.

Brig-Gen. Guggisberg says the Gold Coast of Ashanti, with 2,000,000 inhabitants, exported 176,000 tons of cocoa in 1919, which is half the world's supply. Though Canada is concluding preferential treaties with cocoa-producing West Indian islands, Guggisberg wants Canada's cocoa business.

He plans development in next 16 years to include railways and motor roads in the interior, while the Canadian engineers, Stewart & McDowell, are building a deep sea harbor.

Peanuts, palm oil, hemp and rice are also offered Canada, while gold, diamonds and tin are also ready for development.

Much Trade Offered

Guggisberg's report points out that the Gold Coast is not so far from Canada as Brazil and it offers its market to Canadian manufacturers. The United States now controls much of the trade, which includes all of its flour, a third of other provisions, and 70 per cent. of the automobiles and cycles.

Nigeria is also angling for Canadian trade, its governor pointing out that the overseas report offers a market for flour, fish, canned goods, hardware, motor cars and engines. Canada has the advantage of the United States in the importation of palm oil, palm kernels, for the heavy duty on the export of these by the colony are remitted when these goods are shipped through British Empire ports.

CANNOT BLAME WHEAT MOVEMENT

It has been said that business is dull and collections quiet on account of the small amount of wheat sold by the producers of the West, also to the low price they have obtained.

The following figures show conclusively that these conditions cannot be blamed for the present quiet state of business:

Wheat Movement Sept. 1 to Nov. 26, 1920

Loaded at Country points: Man., Alta., Sask., by C.P.R.—51,972 cars; by C.N.R. 25,320 cars—total 77,292 cars or 96,240,000 bushels. Same period last year, 70,823,750 bus. Inspected—This year, 89,405,000 bus. Inspected—Last year, 65,388,750 bus. Unloaded at Port William and Port Arthur—

This year, 71,921,875 bus.
Last year, 49,721,142 bus.
Shipped out of Port William and Port Arthur—

This year, 59,197,278 bus.
Last year, 44,596,882 bus.
Canadian wheat visible—Nov. 19, '20:

In store country elevators
West 27,213,878
In store Lake Terminals 18,059,908
In store East Lake Ports 8,790,415
At Seaboard 2,394,511

Total Nov. 19, 1920 51,458,712
Total Nov. 19, 1919 40,968,061
Total Shipments—Sep. 1 to Nov. 26:
To Canadian Ports 20,020,340
To U. S. Ports 38,738,186

Total 58,768,526

Then from the Manitoba Free Press we learn that the price set by the Canadian Wheat Board for the 1919 wheat crop was \$2.15 for No. 1 Northern, basis Port William. During the last 12 days of August 1,200 cars of wheat were inspected, and sold for \$2.73 per bushel. During September there were 16,265 cars received and the average price to the month was \$2.73 1/2 per bushel. In October there were 21,124 cars received and the average price was \$3.32. From November 1 to 19, 17,367 cars have been inspected, the average price paid being \$2.14 1/2.

Thus it will be seen that the average price paid for this year's wheat crop up to November 19 on the basis of No. 1 Northern at Port William has been \$2.48 1/2. The price of wheat did not fall down to the \$2.22 basis until November 5, when it closed at \$2.22 1/2.

The producers, therefore, have sold far larger amounts, and have received a much higher price than many people are aware.

CHRIST CHURCH

Friday, Dec. 31st, New Year's Eve: 11.30 p.m. Watchnight Service, followed by Holy Communion.

Saturday, Jan. 1st—(The Circumcision)—10 a.m., Matins and Holy Communion.

Sunday, Jan. 2nd: 8 a.m.—Holy Communion. 10.30 a.m.—Matins.

11 a.m.—Holy Communion and Service. 2.30 p.m.—Sunday School. 7.30 p.m.—Evensong.

VETERANS TAKE UP MILLIONS OF ACRES IN WEST

OTTAWA, Dec. 18.—According to figures given out by the Soldier Settlement Board of Canada 202,730 acres of land have been broken the past year by soldier settlers in the western provinces alone. The total area of land taken up by returned men in the western provinces is 3,100,000 acres, and of this approximately 2,000,000 acres are free lands granted to veterans of whom 4,192 have availed themselves of soldier grants under the act.

Soldier Settlement Board loans to returned men going on the land went over the eighty million mark in November. The total to November 23 is \$80,042,043. There are 19,879 settlers loans. By provinces:

Prince Edward Island, 302 settlers, \$814,957; Nova Scotia, 395 settlers, \$1,287,928; New Brunswick, 505 settlers, \$1,449,704; Quebec, 459 settlers, \$1,899,434; Ontario, 1,403 settlers, \$6,064,042; Manitoba, 3280 settlers, \$13,267,826; Saskatchewan, 4,875 settlers, \$19,842,091; Alberta, 5,710 settlers, \$22,829,040; British Columbia, 2941 settlers, \$12,857,021.

The total number of applications for the benefits of the act received to the end of November is 58,811, of whom 41,906 are qualified to farm. The board has 916 returned men in training.

In 290 cases, settlers have repaid their loans in full.

The board has purchased for returned soldiers stock and equipment of an aggregate value of \$22,619,758, on which a saving was effected, through special purchasing arrangements amounting to \$742,568.—Calgary Herald.

TOM MOORE WINS NEW ACTING LAURELS IN "THE GAY LORD QUEX"

A rush and genial lover is always a popular idol. His very fickleness is endearing. For the man who gives his sweetheart something to worry about is always in her thoughts. Sir Arthur Wing Pinero, the eminent English dramatist, created this type of hero in the new Tom Moore picture, "The Gay Lord Quex," which was played on the stage in both England and America. The film production will be presented by Goldwyn at the Empress Theatre, beginning Friday. The story of the charming lover's last escapade follows:

Lord Quex (Tom Moore) is a likeable young man whose company is entirely pleasing to the older members of London society and more or less sought by the younger set, especially the girls. This romantic element appeals to the spirited young fellow, and he becomes a lover of wide scope, never serious, but always involved. His activities in this line earn him the name of "The Gay Lord Quex."

The picture opens upon the development of his affair with the Duchess of Stood (Naomi Childers), a beautiful woman who has indulged in escapades with Quex, and has grown quite fond of him. The Duchess and Quex meet frequently at the shop of Sophie Fulgurney (Hazel Daly), whose pretty maidservants care for the needs of the aristocracy. On one of these occasions, and at the Duchess's request, Sophie leaves them for a few minutes in her private room, and upon returning finds them in a most affectionate embrace. She accepts this incident as confirmation of the many things she has heard of the nobleman's past.

Quex, leaving the shop, sees Muriel Eden (Gloria Hope) and is greatly attracted by her sweet, wistful expression. Muriel is a generous, wholesome girl who helped make it possible for Sophie to enter business; and naturally, the latter is devoted to her. At the country home of his aunt, Lady Owbridge (Kate Lester), Quex meets Muriel, and immediately declares his love for her. A rival has entered the lists in the disliking person of Captain Bastling (P. H. McCullough), but Quex's personality and sincerity have the advantage, and, after a whirlwind courtship, he gains a favorable reply to his proposal. The match is approved by Muriel's brother, Jack Eden (Henry Miller, Jr.), and his wife (Kathleen Kirkham), who have aided in bringing it about and an early date is set for the wedding.

Then the complications begin. Thinking that she is acting for Muriel's good, Sophie attempts to prove to her that Quex is unworthy of her, and, discovering him and the Duchess in a compromising situation, is about to inform Muriel when developments arise which exonerate Quex and enable him to save Sophie in the eyes of her sweetheart, Valma (Arthur Houseman). Muriel, however, has grown to suspect Quex and transfers her promise of marriage from him to Captain Bastling. Through circumstances in which Sir Chichester Paryne (Sydney Ainsworth) and Sophie figure prominently she is brought to see her error in time; and the closing scene shows Quex and Muriel making plans for their coming marriage.

Champion prize-fighters are stunning men.

"DROUGHT DATE IS DELAYED UNTIL ,EARLY FEBRUARY

OTTAWA, Dec. 22.—From present appearances Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta and Nova Scotia, will go dry officially about the middle of February. Belated returns have prevented official gazettement of the result this week. The justice department has advised that no action could be taken for sixty days, which will be upon Saturday, and that afterwards, whenever the government takes action, 30 days' notice must be given. The matter will be referred to the cabinet council as soon as returns are gazetted, and it is anticipated that there will be little delay in dealing with it. Making allowance for the necessary notice the provinces named should be dry early in February. Ontario votes on April 13, and if prohibition carries, it will not be effective before July.—Calgary Herald.

FRENCH WAR BRIDES HAPPY WITH BRITISH

By J. L. Garvin
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LONDON, Dec. 18.—Inquiries from France of a private official nature as to results of war marriages between French girls and foreign soldiers, have revealed that those were most satisfactory with British officers, while the least satisfactory were with American soldiers. Some revelations regarding the latter home as a shock to many Americans. It is said that a large number of British officers and men settled in France with their war-time brides. There is also a noticeable increase in the number of young Englishmen seeking employment of various kinds in France, but there are comparatively few Americans who preferred France to their native land, and many cases of desertion of French wives are reported.—Calgary Herald.

THE COST OF A BUSHEL OF WHEAT

Among the farmers of Alberta there is at present much discussion concerning wheat prices and the cost of producing wheat. A bulletin has recently been issued by the North Dakota Agricultural College which contains material of great interest. It shows the results of a co-operative experiment covering two groups of farms for the State of North Dakota; one group of 113 farms and another group of 350. The object of the work was to obtain reasonably accurate information as to the cost of producing wheat and some conclusions were drawn, which, while not final, are most instructive. One item which seems to have been underestimated was the charge for the use of land. This was put at \$3.10 per acre, disregarding entirely the loss of fertility resulting from production of the crop. Other items of cost considered were seed, man labor, horse labour, machinery, twine, fertilizer, crop insurance, threshing and management.

The record covers the year 1919, which it is conceded was an unfavorable year for crop production. The cost per bushel would be high but the relative figures would be about average.

The first conclusion is that the yield per acre is the largest factor influencing the cost of production. On 113 farms the cost per bushel varied from \$1.84 to \$6.82 per bushel, depending upon the yield per acre, which varied from one to 17.5 bushels per acre. Fifty per cent of the wheat produced on this group of farms was raised at an average cost of about \$2 per bushel, while the other fifty per cent cost over \$3.00 per bushel.

Of the 350 farm group, the average cost was \$19.88 per acre and \$2.75 per bushel. The cost ranged from \$8.53 to \$35.47 per acre, and from \$1.21 to \$14.38 per bushel. The average yield per acre was 7.2 bushels, the range in yield was from one to 17.5 bushels per acre. The wide range in yield and cost points directly to the value of increasing average yield as a means of reducing the cost of production and thus increasing the profits from wheat-growing.

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Services for January 2nd, 1921:
11 a.m.—"I press towards the mark."
7.30 p.m.—"A New Start."
Watch Night Service on Friday at 11 p.m.—Speaker, Mr. Hunter.
Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered Jan. 9th, at 11 a.m.

METHODIST CHURCH

New Year's Sunday, January 2:
11 a.m.—Morning Worship.
2.30 p.m.—Sunday School—Missionary Sunday.
7.30 p.m.—New Year's Sermon and Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

Watchnight Service Friday, at 11.15 p.m.

The Trail Rangers meet on Thursday, Jan. 6th, at 7 p.m.
W. A. Lewis, Pastor.

OFFICERS OF MASONIC LODGE ARE INSTALLED

Banquet follows interesting ceremony

Installation of officers of Alberta Lodge No. 3 A.F. & A.M. G.R.A., took place at the Masonic Hall on Monday night, when the following were installed by Rt. Wor. Bro. Murison. Worshipful Bro. C. W. MacKinnon, W. M.

Wor. Bro. S. Middleton, I. P. M.
Bro. A. H. Kennedy, S. W.
Bro. E. Raitt, J. W.
Most Wor. Bro. Patterson, Chaplain
Wor. Bro. Morris, Organist
Rt. Wor. Bro. J. Allen, Tyler.
Bro. J. Arthur, S. D.
Bro. C. Butcher, J. D.
Bro. J. Rothney, S. S.
Bro. W. Currie, J. S.
Bro. J. McGowan, I. G.

Following the ceremony, a banquet was given at which Wor. Bro. J. Middleton acted as Toast-Master, who proposed the toast to "The King and Craft," which was responded to by Wor. Bro. Freeman. The toast to "The Grand Lodge," was proposed by Most Wor. Bro. Patterson, "The Newly Installed Officers" toast proposed by Wor. Bro. MacKinnon, was responded to by Wor. Bro. Allen and Bro. McGowan. The toast to "The Sister Lodges" was proposed by Bro. Merick.

After "The Tyler's Toast," by Rt. Wor. Bro. Gardiner, a toast was proposed by Rt. Wor. Bro. Reid, and responded to by Bro. Hunter, to "The Visiting Brethren." The "Junior Wardens" toast by Bro. Raitt, brought a very interesting and enjoyable ceremony to a close.

CHRISTMAS TREE AT ALLENFIELDS

The spirit of cordiality and good will pervaded the atmosphere in the Allenfield schoolhouse on Tuesday evening last on the occasion of the annual Christmas Tree and entertainment.

The schoolhouse was tastefully decorated with festoons and Union Jacks, whilst on the platform was a massive Christmas Tree loaded with gifts for old and young. The decorations both of the school and the tree were carried out under the direction of Mr. John Edgar, who with a band of willing workers were as busy as bees during the whole of the preceding day preparing for a real "good time" in the evening.

Needless to say the school house was packed to the limit with the young and the old who had once more become young. There was a splendid program rendered by the children, a selection of music by the orchestra and the distribution of the gifts on the Christmas Tree by a "real" Santa Claus, who seemed to know all about each individual. Many of the gifts were singularly appropriate, and when opened up by the recipients provoked a great deal of laughter.

After the gifts had been distributed refreshments in the shape of cake and coffee were the order until the hour of midnight, when the floor was cleared and a little informal dance was indulged in. As to who was there—Why! Everybody was there.

Judging by the looks of things both kiddies and grown ups were having the time of their lives, and in the wee sma' hours of the mornin' a tired, but happy crowd dispersed to their several homes, wishing each other a Merry Christmas.

R. L. Hackett has lately had a phone installed at his country residence—if you need the services of an auctioneer phone Bob—R102.

SUBSCRIBERS PAYING FOR THE TIMES DURING THE WEEK

Following are the names of those paying subscriptions to The Times during the past week:

L. McPherson, Macleod; R. McCrea, Macleod.

MACLEOD MARKETS

Below are given grain and produce market prices in Macleod, the grain quotations are those current up to 3 o'clock on Thursday of each week, and produce markets are Thursday morning's quotations each week:

Grain
Wheat, No. 1 Northern \$1.51
Wheat, No. 2 Northern 1.43
Oats34
Barley54
Rye 1.25
Wheat, track prices 1.84 1/2
Flax 1.55

Produce
(Quotations by courtesy of J. Sanderson, manager P. Burns Meat Market, Macleod.)

Beef, live \$.04—\$.06
Hogs, live, select13— .15
Hogs, dressed18— .20
Veal, dressed10— .12
Mutton, dressed16— .18
Turkeys35c
Geese28
Ducks22— .27
Poultry, live13— .18
Poultry, dressed17— .22
Eggs70
Butter50

THE COAL SITUATION
IN CANADA

Although a coal shortage undoubtedly exists in Canada, there does not appear to be any serious cause for alarm. The dislocation of industry and the labor unrest which followed

the Armistice and exercised so great an influence upon production in general throughout 1919 have gradually given way to a more normal condition of affairs. This change is reflected in the improved output of coal throughout the Dominion during the present year, and the realization that

for industrial purposes at least Canada must make better use of her own fuel resources, without too great a dependence upon importations of coal from the United States. It is, in fact, more than likely that any exportable surplus of coal in that country will be largely absorbed by European demands arising through the stoppage of production in Great Britain.

During the eight months ending last August Great Britain exported only 18,375,932 tons, as compared with 24,161,423 tons for the corresponding period in 1919, and 48,320,608 in 1913. It is noted that the fluctuation in the volume imported from the United States is more appreciable than that in the domestic output. Coal imports, which were steadily declining from 1913 to 1915, rose in the following year, under the pressure of war requirements, to the old level, and continued to rise until the cessation of hostilities. In 1919 they fell to the levels of 1913 and 1916, and from the figures available, it is estimated that the volume for the current year will be even less. The bituminous coal exported from the United States to Canada during the United States fiscal year ending 30th June, 1920, amounted to 10,470,516 tons, as against 16,693,062 tons for the year ending

30th June 1918, which was a period of exceptional war activity. On the other hand, the exports from that country to Italy rose from 201,220 tons in 1918 to 2,862,773 tons in 1920, while the Netherlands, Switzerland and Sweden made their first appearance as purchasers of American bituminous coal.

In the case of our domestic production, the most serious drop below normal occurred in 1919, but if the results for the remaining nine months measure up to the standard set by the first quarter of the year (the largest period for which official figures have been issued covering the whole Dominion), this loss should be retrieved by the output for 1920. There are many indications that this will occur. The daily output from the collieries at Glace Bay rose from 9,500 tons in August to 10,000 tons in September and 12,000 tons in October. The mines of British Columbia produced 206,746 tons in August and 236,566 tons in September of this year. In both Nova Scotia and British Columbia, there have been strikes and rumors of strikes, but even under these adverse conditions production has kept well up to normal. The vast supply of bituminous and sub-bituminous coal in Alberta is now being used much more generally in all the prairie provinces. Up to 31st August, 758,135 tons of Alberta coal were received and distributed in Saskatchewan as compared with 405,249 tons for the corresponding period last year. Although the labor situation in Alberta is still very unsettled, the output has actually increased, assisted in no small degree by the improvement in transportation facilities. From the Drumheller mines 2,733 cars were

shipped in September, 1920, as compared with 2,182 in September, 1919, and 1,723 in June of the present year. The output of Alberta for the six months ending July, 1920, was 3,660,323 tons or 1,431,360 tons more than that for the corresponding period in 1919. The government lignite briquetting plant installed at Etevan is not expected to be in operation before the end of January, 1921. For this reason, Saskatchewan lignite is not yet in a position to compete with imported coal.

WATERTON NOTES

The annual meeting of the U.F.A. Local was held December 15th with a fair turnout of members. Election of officers resulted in the re-election of Mr. E. Griffiths as president, Mrs. Perrin as vice-president and Mrs. Cochran as secretary-treasurer, and the directors for 1921 are Mr. J. Maloney, Mr. Cain, Mrs. W. A. Loyst, Mr. P. Doyle and Mrs. H. G. Long.

The apron and tie social held on Dec. 10th was a success, proceeds, after expenses were paid, amounting to \$30.45, which goes to Macleod Hospital. An interesting program is being prepared for the first meeting of the year on the regular night, the first Wednesday in January. Short addresses on chosen subjects will be given by Mr. A. Gillen, Mr. O. Perrin, Mr. L. Perrin and others. are urged to be present; and take part in discussions.

See Russell's \$5.00 bargain window. Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

The peanut politician should not complain if he gets roasted.

Neuralgic Pains

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Generous size bottle 25c. If you are troubled with constipation or sick headache try Hamlin's Wizard Oil. Just as good, too, for sore feet, stiff neck, frost bites, cold sores and canker sores.

HOW WOULD YOU FEEL—

If you woke up one morning to find that overnight you had become some one else?

If you insisted you were yourself, but couldn't get any one to believe it? If you insisted so much that your brand-new relatives concluded you "off" and had you placed in a sanitarium for the rest cure?

This is but one of the many comedy situations in the new Selznick Picture, "The Man Who Lost Himself," starring William Faversham, which will be shown at the Empress Theatre on Wednesday and Thursday next week.

When a married woman wishes she were a man her husband is apt to echo the same wish.

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G. L. MORRISON, Trav. Pass. Agent, Spokane, Washington.
W. G. PAINE, Asst. Gen'l. Pass. Agent, Spokane, Washington.
R. H. CROZIER, Asst. Gen'l. Pass. Agent, Portland, Oregon.
W. D. SKINNER, Traffic Manager, Portland, Oregon.

JUST ISSUED WRIGLEY'S ALBERTA DIRECTORY for 1920

YEAR BOOK OF ALBERTA

Official data covering agriculture, lands, timber, mining, fishing and public works.

GAZETTEER AND ALPHABETICAL DIRECTORY

Describing 1975 cities, towns, villages and settlements within the Province, giving location, distances and directions from larger points, how reached, with a synopsis of local resources, populations, etc., followed by an alphabetical directory of all business and professional men, and employees.

CLASSIFIED BUSINESS SECTION

The business interests of the Province, including manufacturers, wholesalers and retailers, listing all products from the raw material to the finished article, are classified under 325 headings, alphabetically arranged according to towns.

PATRONIZE ALBERTA INDUSTRIES

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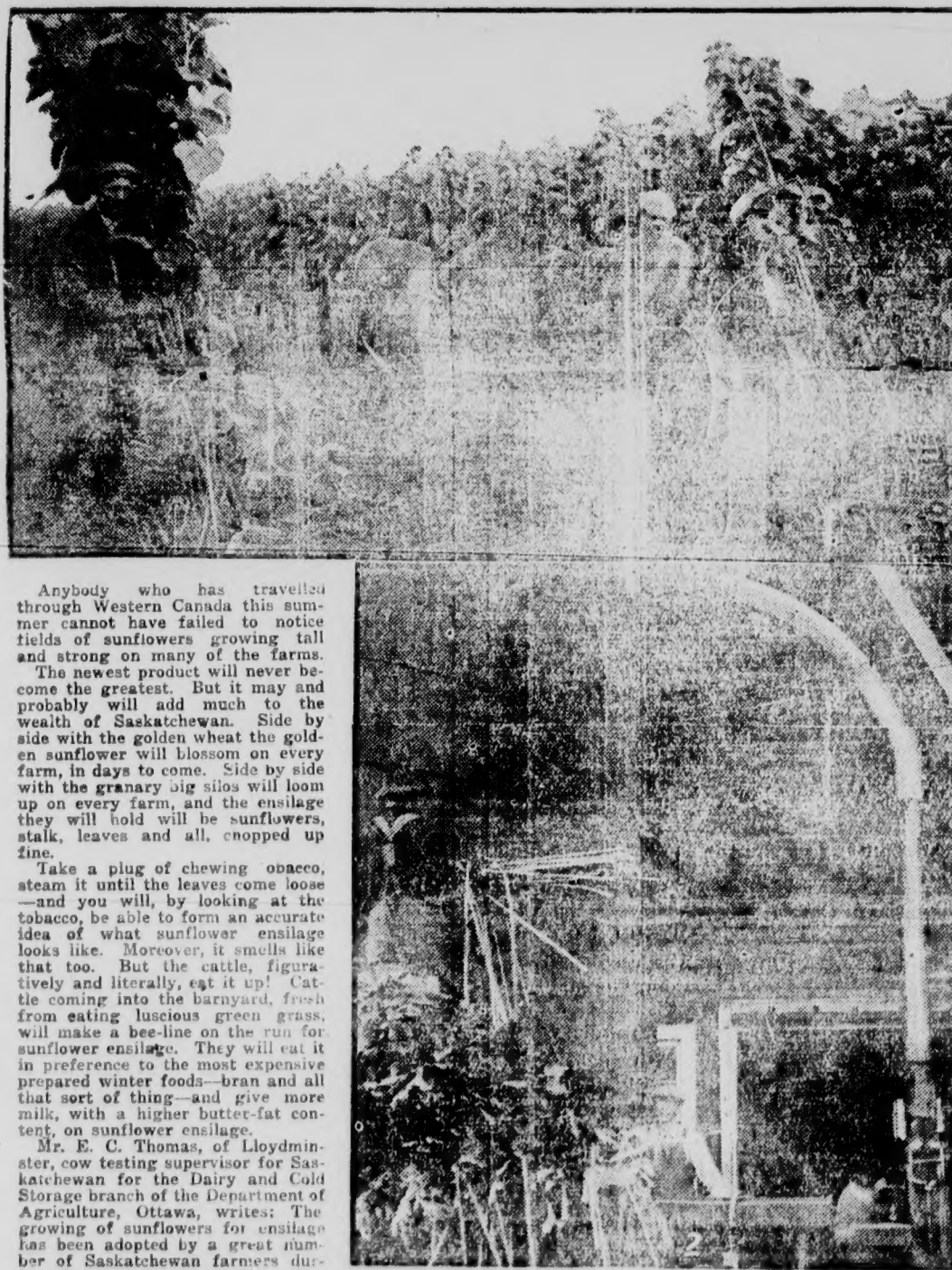
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Western Canada's Corn Substitute



(1) Cutting sunflowers with corn binder at Strathmore, Alta.
(2) Filling a silo with the cut sunflowers which are blown up a pipe into the silo by motor.

Anybody who has travelled through Western Canada this summer cannot have failed to notice fields of sunflowers growing tall and strong on many of the farms.

The newest product will never become the greatest. But it may and probably will add much to the wealth of Saskatchewan. Side by side with the golden wheat the golden sunflower will blossom on every farm, in days to come. Side by side with the granary big silos will loom up on every farm, and the ensilage they will hold will be sunflowers, stalk, leaves and all, cropped up fine.

Take a plug of chewing tobacco, steam it until the leaves come loose—and you will, by looking at the tobacco, be able to form an accurate idea of what sunflower ensilage looks like. Moreover, it smells like that too. But the cattle, figuratively and literally, eat it up! Cattle coming into the barnyard, fresh from eating luscious green grass, will make a bee-line on the run for sunflower ensilage. They will eat it in preference to the most expensive prepared winter foods—bran and all that sort of thing—and give more milk, with a higher butter-fat content, on sunflower ensilage.

Mr. E. C. Thomas, of Lloydminster, cow testing supervisor for Saskatchewan for the Dairy and Cold Storage branch of the Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, writes: The growing of sunflowers for ensilage has been adopted by a great number of Saskatchewan farmers during the past summer. There has been an abundant yield and the number of silos in the province has doubled since a year ago. At Lloydminster, Asquith, Gernsey, North Battleford, and many other points they are in use. At Meota there are two or more pit silos. In Rosthern district they are common among the dairymen supplying milk in Saskatoon city.

"The feed produced is used with great success for the winter feeding of both dairy beef and cattle. A writer in the Saskatchewan Star has collected the following interesting data in the course of investigations in the province.

"Russian Mammoth was the seed generally used. It should be sown in rows thirty inches apart, as early in May as possible. Owing to the late spring this year, sowing was delayed in most cases until the end of May, but by harvest time many fields were to be seen yellow with sunflowers standing ten to twelve feet high.

"The yield of sunflowers on the ten or twelve farms visited varied from eight to twenty per acre. "Experience indicates that for the purpose of harvesting the sunflower crop, it is advantageous to have the patch sown compact, that is in rows as close as possible. Much

time is lost at the ends of the rounds if the patch is very much wider than it is long. These details will be unnecessary information to all farmers who have had experience in growing corn, but there are many who have not that experience.

"To harvest the crop many farmers use the ordinary corn binder, while other cut by hand. The ordinary length in which the ensilage was cut varied from 1/2 inch to 3/4 inch. A cutter with a blower attached, twelve to fifteen inch throat, driven by a 15-H.P. engine, will handle the crop as fast as it can be had.

"Most of the silos were stave, furnished by the supply houses. A few pit silos had staves above. In one instance, an ordinary two by six home-made silo was used. "An important means of conserving the sunflower feed was neglected by farmers who were raising their first crop this summer. The pressure of weight in the silo will release much of the sap that is in the sunflower stalk and this may be lost. If it is taken immediately from the binder and mixed with wheat straw is the

proportion of two loads of sunflower to one load of straw, the straw will absorb the sap. If the mixture is kept until winter it will make almost as good feed as the original sunflowers.

"In starting to feed the ensilage, care should be taken to start with a small quantity without any bran, as the ensilage is relaxing and for a few days will have a souring effect. This will soon disappear and the cows will take from twenty-five to thirty pounds a day.

"A few figures may be quoted as the value of the crop as a feed: During the last few months of 1919 a practical farmer fed fourteen cows a mixture of 1/2 sunflower and green oat ensilage, twenty-five pounds per day. Late in February, 1920, the ensilage gave out. He then fed a mixture of two parts commercial oatmeal, one part gluten meal, and one part bran, fifteen pounds per day per cow. The change lost him one hundred and twenty pounds of milk, or in cash \$5.10 per day. In addition he was out of pocket in the cost of meal."

DONATIONS OF
CHRISTMAS CHEER

The ladies of the Hospital Aid held a very successful tea in the Town Hall on Saturday, 11th, at which the following donations of Xmas Cheer were received.

Mrs. Cunningham Fruit
Mrs. Gilboe Pickles
Mrs. Lewis Pickles
Mrs. Gardiner Fruit
Mrs. Grandison Tea and Sugar
Mrs. Jack Allen Box Oranges
Miss Wilson Parsnips
Miss Hodnett Fruit
Mrs. Horner Turnips
A Friend 2 Loaves Bread
Mrs. S. Stephens Fruit

Mrs. Swinerton Fruit
Mrs. Martin Jelly
Mrs. Small Fruit and Jelly
Miss Drinkwater Butter
Mrs. Connolly Rolled Oats
Mrs. J. R. McLean Towels
Miss Thomas Marmalade
Mrs. H. H. McLean butter and sugar
Mrs. Hill Fruit
Mrs. A. D. Ferguson Tea
Mrs. Bowden Fruit
Miss McLaren Jelly Powders
Reach and Co. Box of Apples
Mrs. Sutherland Fruit
Mrs. Gordon Fruit
Mrs. R. McKenzie Head Cheese
Mrs. McNay Nuts
Miss McDuff Tea
Mrs. Andrews Pickles

Mrs. Russell \$1.00
Mrs. Charlton Bread
Mrs. H. M. Smith Fruit
Mrs. McNicol Tobacco
Mrs. Kirk Potatoes and Marmalade
Mrs. Roberts Fruit
Mrs. White Tobacco
Mrs. Adams Pickles
Mrs. Brown Fruit
Mrs. Mercer—Mince Meat, Pickles and Jelly.

Mrs. Peterson Fruit
Mrs. W. H. Jones Jelly
Mrs. McNeill Tea
Mrs. Walsh Oranges
Mrs. Tripp Celery
Mrs. McFall Jelly Powder and Cocoa
Mrs. Matheson Fruit and Cake
Mrs. Struthers Fruit and Pickles
Miss Wilson Tea
Mrs. Morris Coffee
Mrs. Kennedy Fruit
A Friend Plant

During the two weeks previous the secretary acknowledges with thanks: Mrs. Faulkes Bag of Vegetables
Rathwell Dance \$12.50
Mrs. Allen Lemons and Cream of Wheat

Mr. Swinerton and some C.P.R. Men—Seven Pounds Tobacco
Since Dec. 17th the Rathwell ladies have donated 5 pillows, 3 comforters, 1 ladies' bath robe and 1 shawl.

Allenfield U.F.W.A. has donated 7 pillows, 3 comforters.

The I.O.D.E. has donated \$50.00 worth of blankets for the old men.

Mrs. Allen—Oranges and Lemons.
The W.A.—3 quilts.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid—3 quilts.

Mrs. Reid, Hazelmore—2 pillows and covers.

At the tea given on the 11th the ladies realized the sum of about \$25, which was spent to provide what was still lacking to make a good Christmas dinner for the inmates.

CARD OF THANKS

General Hospital, Macleod,
Dec. 26th, 1920.

To the Citizens of Macleod.
Mr. Editor, Sir—On behalf of old men inmates of above institution, we desire in this way to thank one and all who have had anything to do with making our Xmas time what it has been to us, a good one undoubtedly. I am one of them.

Sincerely,
George Dawson.

KANSAS BAN ON
THE CIGARETTES

Even Gifts of the Weed Not Permissible — People Openly Break The Law

TOPEKA, Kas., Dec. 24.—Richard J. Hopkins, attorney-general today formally requested attorneys of Atchison and Shawnee counties to investigate reported violations of the state anti-cigarette law and institute prosecutions if evidence warrants.

Nineteen Atchison men each contributed ten cents today toward a fund for a carton of cigarettes sent as an Xmas gift to President-elect Harding, while prominent Topeka women and the local American Legion post have sent cigarettes to disabled soldiers at Camp Funston and in the Topeka State Hospital, according to information received by the attorney-general. Both gifts and sale of cigarettes are illegal in Kansas.—Lethbridge Herald.

KEEP THEM HOME

LONDON, Dec. 27.—(Canadian Associated Press).—Col. Obed Smith, of the Canadian immigration office here, has joined in the warnings against emigration to Canada at the present time. He says he has for months past been using the soft pedal in this connection and points out that town workers especially should not be advised to go to Canada now.

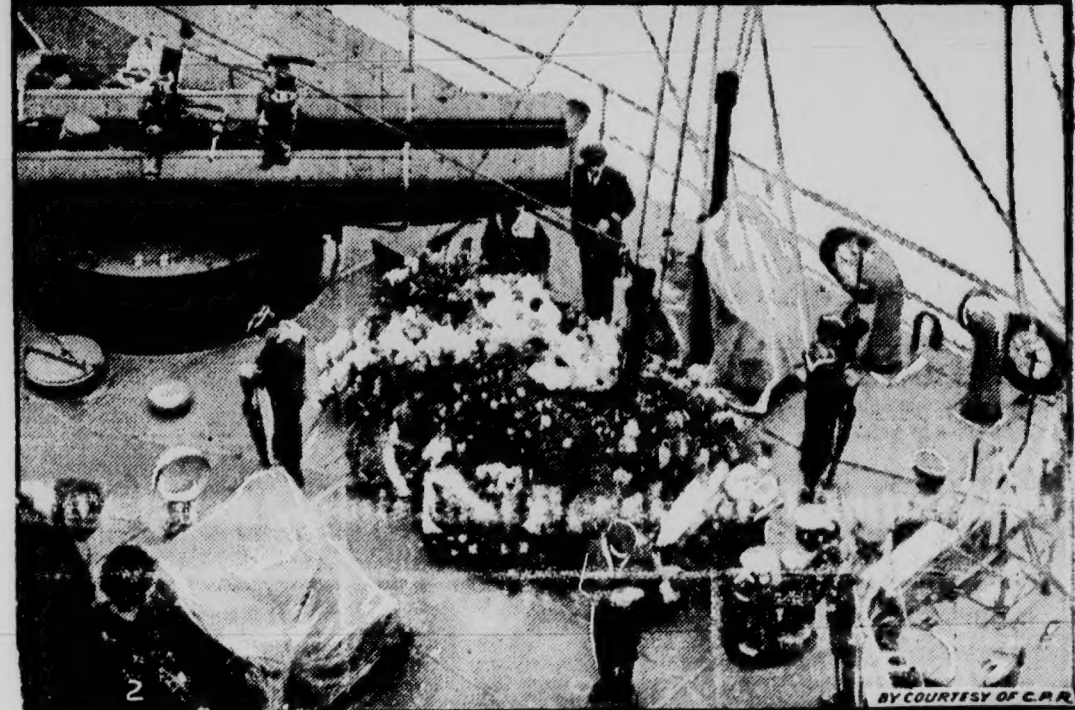
Big Immigration in Sight
TORONTO, Dec. 27.—R. T. Farrell, a British merchant, in an interview here today said:

"The coming year will see the biggest flow of immigration into this country that has ever been seen."

He said that in England, the Salvation Army has applications from thirty thousand people who wish to come to Canada.

Besides there were ten thousand ex-soldiers who were anxious to come to Canada, and who would be brought out, Mr. Farrell said, under the imperial government land settlement scheme. He added that it was thought in England that the Canadian immigration regulations requiring an immigrant to possess \$250 would be considerably relaxed in the spring.—Lethbridge Herald.

Picture News From Europe



(1) Church Congress at Southend, Belgium — Head of Procession Leaving the High School for St. Mary's Church, Prittlewell.
(2) The Arrival of the Unknown Hero at Dover, England—Bluejackets on Guard Over the Body on Board the "Verdun" at Dover.

ROMANCE—BEFORE AND
AFTER MARRIAGE

"And do they never come here after they are married?" asked Katherine wonderingly, when the Prince told her how many famous lovers of history had stood on that balcony and exchanged their love vows. That's a queer thing about romantic spots and wonderful views—lovers are so much keener to show them to their sweethearts than to their wives. What is there about a marriage ceremony that deprives a woman of all power to enjoy fine scenery and interesting trips? Isn't a mountain just as majestic in her sight after as before the wedding? Of course! The difference is in the man's point of view. Probably he has never thought it out and put it into words, but down deep in his heart (if he is an average man) is a comfortable conviction that it isn't necessary, nor especially worth while, to tear around and amuse his wife, show her the sights, make life continuously interesting and full of thrills for her. What? You're not that kind of a couple? Oh, well, we were speaking of the average man and the average marriage. Nothing personal in what we meant. We were just reminded of it by an incident that occurs in "A Dark Lantern," a mighty interesting new Realart picture, starring Miss Alice Brady, which comes to the Empress theatre next week on Monday and Tuesday. If you are a husband, of course you will want to bring your wife to see this splendid picture play. The average husband may not care whether his wife ever sees a movie, but YOU want her to see many, and always the best ones.

Much of the charity that begins abroad never reaches home.

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Happy New Year

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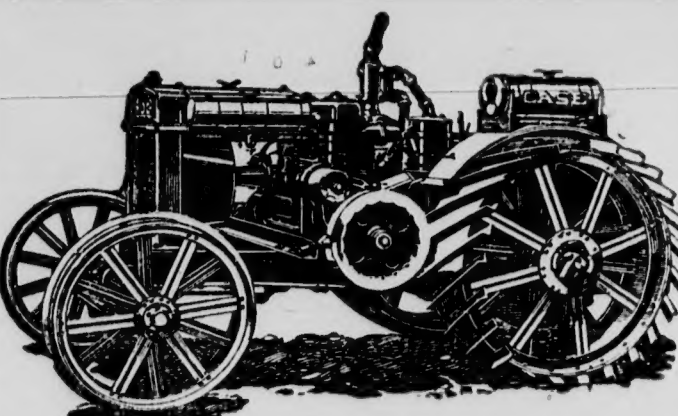
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The Celebrated Actor
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THURSDAY, Dec. 30th, 1920

TIME

Oh Time! thou beautifier of the dead,
Adorner of the ruin,—comforter,
And only healer when the heart hath
bled.
Time! the corrector when our judg-
ments err,
The test of truth, love—sole philoso-
pher. —Byron. Childe Harold.

MAKING ALL THINGS NEW

The coming of the New Year al-
ways brings its suggestion of coun-
age and of hope. We confess that,
notwithstanding all the disappoint-
ments and failures and disillusion-
ments of life, the New Year has never
dawned yet without bringing to
us a glorious and heartening sense
of a new and a better start in life. Even
though we know that our divisions
of time are somewhat artificial, and
that the New Year is new only be-
cause we call it so; even though we
know that it is not possible for any
man to escape from the record and
the result of the years that have gone,
yet that picture of the boy sitting
down to write before the clean, white
page always seems a true and un-ex-
aggerated picture of the opportunity
God gives every man as the New Year
dawns.

THE PRICE OF A HAPPY NEW YEAR

"Why should a living man com-
plain?" A man alive! It is happi-
ness to be alive—especially to be
alive and well. It has been well said,
"Spend less than you earn, and you
will be rich. Eat less than you can
digest, and you will be well. Attempt
less than you can accomplish, and you
will be strong. Covet little, love much,
and you will be happy. By the first
you will accumulate money; by the
second, blood; by the third, nerve; by
the fourth, love." Some secrets for
having a happy New Year! Here they
are. Are you willing to learn them?
Are you enough willing to try to put
them to the test of application?
—"Great Thoughts."

GROW THIS YEAR

A secret New Year happiness may
be found in cultivating the ambition
to grow larger this year. In an old
fable there was a magic skin, the
wearing of which would get a person
everything he wished. But each wish
that was granted shrank the skin; and
by-and-by, when the wearer got what

he wished the skin squeezed his
breath out. The fable is true. The
magic skin is false ambition. Every-
time the false ambition is attained,
the person shrinks. On the other
hand, every time we promote a true
ambition there is an expanding of the
whole nature, and an enriching of the
whole being. There is happiness in
it. Let us grow larger this year.
—"Great Thoughts."

GRAY MEMORIES

Guzzler: How bright the world
seemed when we used to paint the
town red!
Fuzzler: And what a shabby old
world it became as soon as the paint
wore off.—Life.

COMMISSIONER LAMB SPEAKS OF THE PRESENT CONDITIONS

Commissioner Lamb of the Salva-
tion Army passed through the city
the other night on his way to Inter-
national Headquarters in London,
after an extended visit to Canada and
the States, and our representative
sought to get his view of the present
situation and immigration outlook.

The Commissioner has been a reg-
ular visitor to the Dominion of Can-
ada for the past 17 years, during which
period he has been directing the
Army's Emigration and Immigration
activities. He has crossed and re-
crossed the Continent scores of times
and apart from being in touch with
conditions through the organization
with which he is connected, he has
opportunities of interviewing all the
prominent men in the Dominion.

This is his third visit this year, and
he has during the summer visited
Australia and New Zealand. He is a
close student of social and economic
conditions in the old land, and as a
member of the British Government
Committee, which enquired into the
settlement of ex-Service Men, he had
a peculiar opportunity of studying
conditions.

"In all the years I have been com-
ing to Canada," said the Commis-
sioner, "I never found the situation
more difficult to sum up, and yet in
a sense not difficult.
"The West has had a great harvest,
and that means assured prosperity
and progress next season, for the
farmer will be in a position to call
for machinery, furniture, labor, etc.;
then the East is at once favorably
influenced by the harvest, not only
through the demand for these things
but financial obligations are met, and

I suppose fresh undertakings embark-
ed upon."

"What then is the difficulty, Com-
missioner?"

"Largely the aftermath of the war.
If Canada stood alone it would be
more easily summed up, but the Dom-
inion is bound to be profoundly affect-
ed by Industrial and Economic condi-
tions in the States. Over the border
there is general fear of considerable
unemployment at an early date; there
will arise from several causes. There
will be for instance the usual season-
al unemployment, and then all sec-
tions of the community are expelling
and waiting for a fall in prices of all
commodities and in wages. I cannot
stop to argue the morality of
economies of this situation. I believe
profiteering is of the devil. By pro-
fiting I mean the taking undue
advantage of a situation entirely
artificial (and created by the war at
present) and holding up goods for
prices which have no honest relation
to the cost of production."

"I find in my wanderings around
the world no one disposed to say that
the war HAS to be paid for, and that
they are prepared to do their bit.
They mostly want to 'pass the buck,'
I think you call it."

"What has this to do with immigra-
tion?"

"Just this, so far as we are con-
cerned we will never send any person
overseas unless we are assured they
will receive a warm welcome and that
work is waiting for them. The con-
tinued rural depopulation is a very
serious factor in our Empire life. It
is no confined to the old land, it is
going on everywhere. Of course, im-
proved machinery enables the land
worker to produce more with less
labor than ever before, and the re-
striction of the cities does the rest!
It is surely up to the statesmen of the
Dominion to see to it anyhow that the
city development is a healthy one. I
don't think it is so at present, and
personally, I would rather see a fam-
ily poorly housed in the country than
indifferently housed in the city."

"Then what about the Army
plans?"

"Our Emigration Organization will
continue to bend its energies to se-
curing suitable men, women and families
for work on the land. From the over-
flowing population in the British Isles
we will settle and transplant them to
the virgin soil and rural districts of
the Dominion with all their great
opportunities."

"Will you send men from the Old
Country when there are unemployed
in Canada?"

"That contingency may arise, but

it need not cause undue alarm. It
will be a passing phase and will be
more in appearance than in fact. The
unemployed in Canada will be in the
cities and I fear they will refuse to
labor on the land. They will argue,
and perhaps rightly, that the indus-
trial situation will quickly right it-
self. There must be a tremendous in-
dustrial development in the near fu-
ture; meanwhile, I know from person-
al observation and from absolutely re-
liable sources that there are even at
this moment tens of thousands of
vacancies for men to work on farms.
It is to meet that need we will during
the coming months address ourselves."

"Do you think that a reduction in
wages must precede a fall in prices?"

"That is a hard question. I know
that the world is hungry and starv-
ing for many things, and I believe
an idle man is always a menace and
loss to the state. It is up to not only
the government but to all organiza-
tions and individuals to so arrange
affairs that there are never any out-
of work. That may appear to be
Utopian, but it is right and the fact
that for purposes of defense, and in-
cidentally destruction, society was
able to organize itself so that there
was work for all; men and women—
the halt and the blind—and the maim-
ed, all seemed to have something to
do."

"Do you find any disposition to re-
strict immigration, Commissioner?"

"Yes I do. Especially in the States
where the new arrivals are crossing
the Atlantic at the rate of over one
million a year. By the way, in this
connection, I find a growing call for
more British to come to the States—
to help, I should imagine, in the
healthy assimilation of these crowds,
mostly of Continental European ori-
gin."

"And in Canada?"

"Nothing to speak of. Your prob-
lems are simple here. Your master-
men are closer up to your working
men. You have no leisure classes—
all are workers, and I think they all
clearly see that there is another as-
pect of affairs that must not be over-
looked, viz., the Dominion War Debt.
To anyone who may be tempted to
restrict immigration, I would say, even
if you don't want to share with your
poorer brethren in the homeland
the good things you enjoy here surely
you will welcome them to aid you
to meet the extraordinary obligations
you have incurred during the past
few years."

"I suppose you are in constant
touch with the people and with condi-
tions through your organization?"

"From time to time we send out
special emissaries to investigate con-
ditions and report direct to the Head-
quarters of the Emigration and Im-
migration Department in London."

"Apart from my own visits to vari-
ous parts of the Empire we have at
hand special reports on the possible
development in South Africa, New
Zealand, Australia as well as Canada."

"When in Montreal, at the end of
November, I was in Council with
officers, men and women, Canadian
and British, who had quite recently
in the interests of the department
been travelling extensively all over
the Dominion—from Halifax to Vic-
toria and beyond—and the North
West was not overlooked."

"How are things in the Old Coun-
try, Commissioner, and in other parts
of Europe?"

"The old land is probably quietly
undergoing the biggest social up-
heaval of any part of the world, and
will come out all right. I can say
this too, that the most prominent
statesmen regard emigration as a very
important factor in helping to a bet-
ter condition of affairs generally.
Anyhow, of this I am satisfied, that
the overseas dominions can secure
just any number of any particular
class of immigrants they want, and
surely the Empire has a first pull."

"The Australian government has
recently passed some enactments
which will put the Commonwealth au-
thorities, co-operating with the states
of that great continent, in a new
position as far as handling immigra-
tion is concerned, and I look to see
in the near future a large movement
of British people to Australia and
New Zealand."

"I don't think the two million acres
of farm lands in England broken up
during the war will continue to be
cultivated, but I do know at least it
is giving a large number of people

experience of land cultivation, and on
approved and up-to-date machinery."

"And what about women, Com-
missioner?"

"Well we continue to treat that
question on what might be called a
super-economic basis. It is primarily
surely a social and moral question,
but we do not overlook the economic
aspect and fortunately we anticipate
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will have it called now—the hundreds
of carefully selected women we are
planning to bring out. We have an
unrivalled 'Machinery' for this class
of work."

"You have some schemes for the
unwanted children in the British
Isles?"

"Yes, we are likely to develop this
branch of our Social Service. The
General was much impressed during
his recent tour round the world with
the opportunities there are within the
Empire for happily transplanting
thousands of unwanted children. We
have some on the way to Australia
and New Zealand now—sending them
there first when we had sent our last
party this year to Canada."

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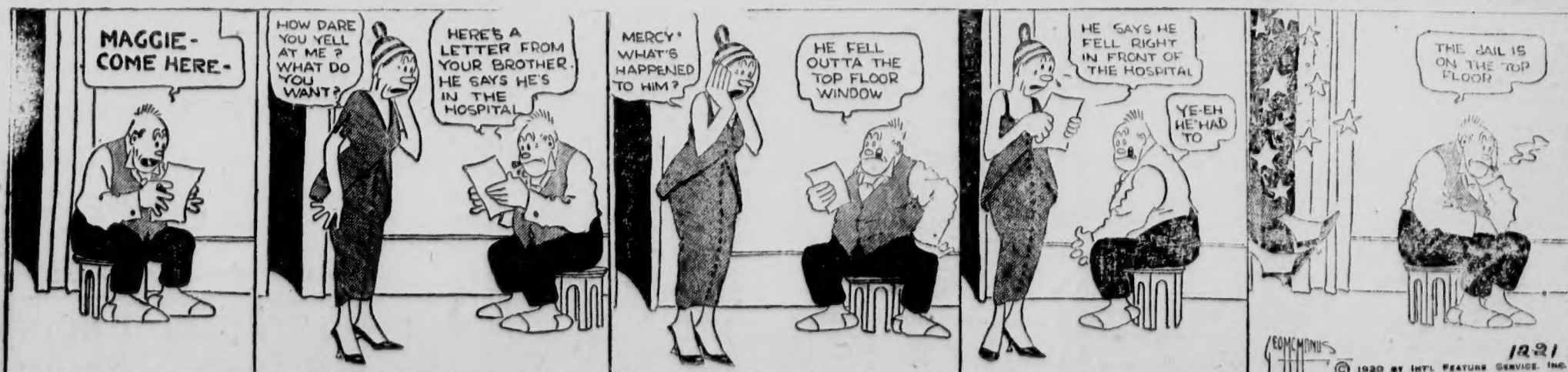
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MACLEOD MEAT MARKET

BRINGING UP FATHER

By G. McManus



REACH & COMPANY HAVE AGENCY FOR BUTTERICK PATTERNS

Following is a copy of a letter from the Butterick Publishing Co. re the appointment of Reach & Co. as their agents:

Toronto, December 20, 1920.
Messrs. Reach & Company,
MacLeod, Alberta.

Gentlemen:—
We were pleased to receive the agency arrangements made with you by Mr. W. E. Searle. The stock of Butterick patterns contracted for will be shipped within the next three or four days without fail.

The patterns when received by you will be in numerical order, ready to put into the two cabinets, that we are told you have purchased from The Hudson's Bay Company.

The women of MacLeod will be de-

lighted to know that Butterick patterns will still be obtainable in MacLeod, despite the fact that the Hudson's Bay Company have gone out of business. Your arranging for the Butterick Service not only pleases us and will please the women in MacLeod, but the installation of the Butterick department will have a stimulating effect upon your general business.

Yours very truly,

The Butterick Publishing Company.

About the only way for a married man to keep out of debt is to give his wife all the money she needs.

A VISIT TO A SCOTCH SETTLEMENT IN CANADA

(By Colin B. Faulkner.)

John Knox said, "Give me Scotland or I die." His teaching reached all Scotland except Ivernesshire and the other more northerly districts. Here the Catholic cause remained strong and here the Pretender landed when he came over from France in 1745. Because the people of this district gave assistance to "Bonnie Prince Charlie," the English after the Battle of Culloden, sent an army to that district to punish them. But being too proud to be punished, these people picked up their belongings and sailing to America, settled in straggling villages along the Gulf of St. Lawrence, on the coast of Cape Breton Island, Nova Scotia.

Here and there among these straggling villages, after coal was discovered to be abundant in that country, several coal mining towns grew up like mushrooms. In one of these towns, Iverness by name, the writer found himself during the winter of 1914-15.

An extended, crescent-shaped beach, gently sloping from the water—a towering smokestack rising above squat-looking buildings—long, lugubrious rows of red houses—big, stalwart men with a speck of coal dust in the inner corner of each eye—stagnant drains each side of the mud streets—ash sidewalks—coal smoke and Gaelic—such was the town of

Iverness.

Coal smoke and Gaelic! It was hard to tell which was the more "in the air"—Gaelic one would judge. Gaelic to right of them, Gaelic to left of them, Gaelic behind them volleyed and thundered. Old men spoke it—young men spoke it—women spoke it—children spoke it—and the poultry cackled it.

The first question asked a stranger was if he had Gaelic. If he said he hadn't, the questioner, like Mirza in Addison's essay, would "fetch a deep sigh." The next questions were:—Who are you? Where are you from? Where are you going? And what is your business? After being thus interrogated, he was warmly invited in "to have a cup of tea" and would receive a hospitality truly Arabic.

Such inveterate tea-drinkers as those people were! At one of their rustic "pie sales" the pies were going at about twenty-five cents each. The auctioneer was told that tea was to be served. "Tea!" said he with a Mona Lisa-like smile. "Tea," whispered each fellow to the one next him. And the price rose suddenly from twenty-five cents to a dollar and a dollar and a half—"soaring" unparallelled by even Bethlehem Steel. Coffee and cocoa never set foot there. "Red Rose" was "monarch of all he surveyed."

They were as fond of "Old Scotch" as they were of tea. Temperance workers found that to wrestle whiskey from a Scotchman was a problem. But by steady, noble effort much was being accomplished by the Temperance Alliance. A Scotchman is born with a "bottle" in his hands a prayer on his lips.

Whether he professed to be a Christian or not he would get up in prayer meeting and pray. "Old Deacon Donald" stopped attending church because the minister asked "Deacon Dan" to lead in prayer at a certain function and did not ask him. Mrs. Dougal habitually scowled at Mrs. Cameron in the choir because the minister's wife said that Mrs. Cameron's upper tones were more sustained than hers. The minister's wife was like the rest of them—what she

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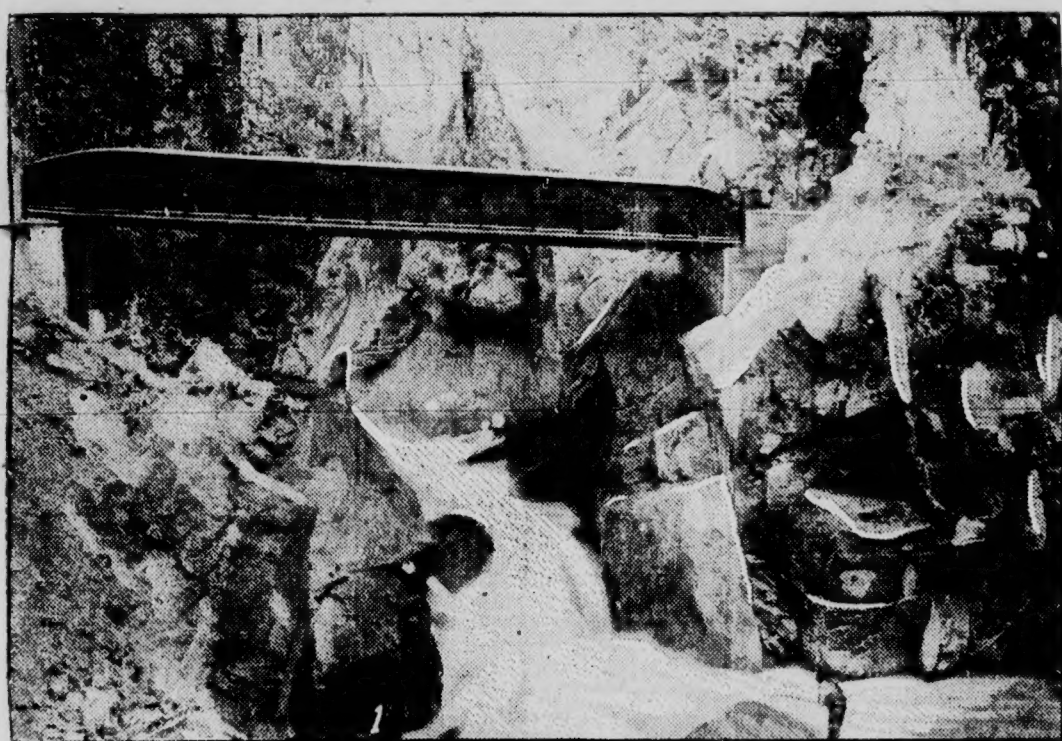
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Leaving the junction at Hope, you travel through nature's wonderland of snow-capped mountains with evidence of man's science in the Quintal Tunnels, a series of five tunnels in a direct line with the Coquihalla river, spanned by steel bridges, zigzagging between each of the tunnels. The rushing streams and innumerable waterfalls every where speak of the marvellous water power awaiting to be harnessed for man's needs. Winding up to the Coquihalla Summit, 3,300 feet above sea level, the line passes through the towns of Othello, Lear, Jessica, Portia, Lago, Romeo, Juliet, following the Shakespearean tradition.

Penticton, the next spot of interest was a renowned mining town of twenty years ago. It is located at the junction of two mountain streams, Similkameen, meaning "Swift Flowing Water," and Tulameen (Red Water). The Indian nomenclature, in all its euphony, has been retained and native legends abound. The late Pauline Johnson, Indian poetess in her "Indian Legends" tells of "Red Water," Tulameen, said to be haunted by the spirit of an Indian woman who gave her life for her lover.

Coalment Collieries are passed where a tunnel three-quarters of a mile into one seam, gives an almost inexhaustible supply of high grade coal. There are at least ten million tons of coal "blocked out" and ready for mining and shipment.

The town of Jura is another interesting point, as the home of the famous old "Bill Miner," notorious



- (1) Waterfall on the Coquihalla River, Home of the Steel Head Salmon and Silver Side Trout.
- (2) The Quintal Tunnels, Near Hope, on Kettle Valley Railway.

train robber who, as Bill Edwards, was known as a kindly citizen who studied his Bible. He was sent to British Columbia penitentiary in 1903, for twenty years, for holding up a train, and escaped in 1905. He was again heard of as a prisoner in Atlanta, Georgia, where he died in the State penitentiary.

Skirting the orchard covered benches, the valley is unfolded where nestles the town of Penticton at the foot of Okanagan Lake. Viewed from the hills, golden in the sunshine, it seemed the desired resort, shine, it is a resort desirable in summer and has proved as attractive in winter.

Beyond Penticton, the Kelowna Valley comes into view, with orchard covered slopes, giving a picture of settled prosperity. Ascending to the Kettle Summit, an altitude of 4,200 feet is reached, giving a vista of ravines, silvery streams and valleys packed with purple bloom. The Kettle river drains an area of 4,260 square miles and is 170 miles long. There is a considerable area of good bench lands, suitable for agriculture, while portions are heavily timbered and lumbering is an important industry. The total drive of one year on the Kettle and its tributaries, exceeded twenty million feet.

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thought she said.

They all were painfully outspoken. One did not need a confidant to bring "foreign comment" to him—the commenters themselves brought it unsolicited. A certain minister was preaching a Sunday for the resident parson. At the beginning of his sermon he took occasion to remark that he "had never listened to such a clear-toned full-voiced choir before." His audience knew he was lying. The next day a friend of his, with typical Scotch outspokenness, having been irritated at his remark, accosted him thus:—"What's you say that about the choir fur? You've surely heard better singin' than that. We all knew you were lyin'." The clerical, having heard the like before, smiled blandly but made no reply.

Their affections, when once obtained, were sincere and lasting—but how long it took to gain them. To win the good graces of a Frenchman, one merely smiles and says something light and humorous; to win an Irishman one needs to act affectionately with him, but to get a Scotchman's good will one has to get first his admiration. But he, who learns, like Ralph Waldo Emerson, to "respect the naturalsamkeit which hardens the ruby in a million years," will find that the affection of a Scotchman is well worth working and waiting for.

To conclude, although fond of the bagpipes, footrack, tea and whiskey they were a hard working and frugal people above all desirous that their children should get an education.

ANNUAL MEETING MACLEOD PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT 47

At the annual meeting of Macleod Public School District No. 47, held in the Town Hall Wednesday, December 20th, the following members of the school board were present: Chairman McNichol, J. L. Fawcett, H. Little, W. A. Day and R. W. Stewart, and a number of rate-payers.

Chairman McNichol in a few words summarized the work of the board for

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the year.

Secretary-Treasurer Brown then read a detailed financial statement for the year showing as an outstanding feature that the school affairs for the year had been conducted at an outlay of about \$2000.00 under the estimates—a very creditable showing on which he based as a whole are to be congratulated.

Mayor Fawcett, at the request of Chairman McNichol, addressed the

meeting in a few appropriate words along school lines. Mrs. Edwards and Dr. Fanset also made a few timely remarks.

R. J. E. Gardiner seconded by Dr. Fanset, with a few congratulatory remarks to the board, moved the adoption of the reports as read and a vote of thanks to the trustees for efficient services in the conducting of school offices for the past year.

Adjournment.

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SOME SHARKS ENORMOUS

As the 'open season' for sharks approaches, South American liners arriving in New York report the sighting of these sea monsters, a fact which lends interest to the following communication to the National Geographic Society by Dr. Hugh M. Smith, an authority on fish.

"When giant fishes are mentioned most people will at once think of the shark, among which, indeed, are found the largest fish now existing. Of the many species of sharks noteworthy on account of their size there are about half a dozen which are pre-eminent. These differ much in their disposition, some being as harmless as doves and others the incarnation of ferocity. The sleeper shark appears to have developed its body at the expense of its brain, for it is a sluggish, stupid glutton, about six times as long as an average man. At home in the arctic regions, it sometimes makes visits as far south as Cape Cod, the British Isles and Oregon. It is most often observed lying quietly on the surface, apparently dozing and easily approached; but at times, when hungry, it arouses itself and fiercely attacks whales.

"One of the most prodigious and perhaps the most formidable of sharks is the 'man-eater.' It roams through all temperate and tropical seas and everywhere is an object of dread. Its maximum length is forty feet and its teeth are three inches long. While there are few authentic instances of sharks attacking human beings prior to the recent tragedies, there have undoubtedly been many cases where sharks simply swallowed people who had fallen overboard, just as they would swallow any other food. How easy it would be for a man-eater to devour a person whole may be judged from the finding of an entire 100 pound sea lion in the stomach of a 30-foot shark on the California coast.

"In former years the basking shark was hunted for its oil on the coasts of Norway and Ireland; it was also harpooned on the shore of Massachusetts in the early part of the last century, and as many as twelve barrels of oil were sometimes obtained from the liver of one shark. There are many records of basking sharks twenty-five to thirty-eight feet long from the coast of New York, Massachusetts and Maine, but the species has not been common in our waters in recent years.

The largest of all fishes, the largest of all cold-blooded animals, and the largest of all existing animals, with the exception of a few species of whales, is the whale shark originally described from Good Hope but now known from India, Japan, South America, Panama, California and various other places, a small specimen having been obtained on the Florida coast a few years ago. This shark has a very broad and obtuse snout and an exceedingly wide mouth, armed with numerous minute teeth. The dark colored body is marked with many small, whitish spots. The species is stated to attain a length of seventy feet. It is harmless to man unless attacked

and feeds on the small creatures for which its teeth are adapted."—World Wide.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Charles Murdoch wishes to thank the Macleod G.W.V.A. for kind and brotherly service in connection with the death and funeral of her beloved husband, Charles Murdoch.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Charles Murdoch wishes to thank Macleod friends, also the matron and staff of the hospital for their kindness to her in her late sad bereavement by the death of her husband, also to voice her appreciation of the floral tributes at the funeral.

When a young man writes to a girl on a postcard, she might as well chloroform all hope she has in his direction.

Business Paragraphs

Kryptok Lenses—get them from Russell, the optician.

Christmas Dry Goods at Barker's.

Saturday Specials at Baker's Meats.

Doney, the jeweler wishes patrons and friends the compliments of the season.

Read Reach & Co.'s announcement in this issue—you will be repaid for doing so.

George Scougall can write you any kind of insurance in reliable companies.

Happy and Prosperous New Year from R. D. McNay.

Keep the memory of the childhood days fresh by having the youngsters' photos taken by the Whitefoot Photo Service.

Nerv-Ease Arch Supports, get them at A. D. Ferguson's.

Grocery news—Tea, coffee, apple and onion specials—Whitehall Grocery.

D. M. Leyden, Funeral Director and Embalmer, Leave orders at the K.A.Y. Realty Co.

Bread—the best in the land—get it at Bawden's Bakery.

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Happy and Prosperous New Year from Miss A. M. Wilson.

List your lands with Hugh Macintosh, local agent United Grain Growers.

The season's greetings from W. G. Andrews.

See Alex. McDonald for Maple Leaf tires and tubes.

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Undertaking Rooms on 16th Street between 2nd and 3rd Ave.—Phone 218—George McFarquhar.

Don't worry over the high prices of shoes—get the old ones mended by Lemire.

U. F. A. Store wishes all the compliments of the season.

A Happy New Year from A. F. Grady—the New York Life Insurance man.

Moreash, the Tailor, is giving special reductions on made-to-measure suits and overcoats during December—See him for a saving.

Trunks, Valises, Harness and Saddles—Get these at The Great West Saddlery.

This is the time of year when a woman doesn't object if her husband becomes penurious. He may be saving up to buy her a Christmas present.—Life.

IMPOUNDED ANIMALS

Take notice that the following described animals are impounded on the Blood Reserve under regulations made by the Indians of the Blood Band and assented to by His Royal Highness the Governor General. Animals are held at St. Mary's Cow Camp, situated about seven miles North East of the town of Cardston.

One pinto gelding, aged, branded reversed L seven Y upside down—connected on left thigh.

One bay gelding, aged, branded reversed C and L on left jaw, —C— on left shoulder.

One buckskin mare and colt, aged, branded C S on left shoulder.

One grey gelding, 8 years, branded E open A on left shoulder.

One grey gelding, aged, branded beehive on left shoulder, dumb bell on right shoulder.

One bay gelding, 2 years old, unbranded.

One sorrel gelding, 6 years, branded L over 7, two half circles, one under other, points down on left shoulder.

One black gelding 2 years old, branded reversed B and H on right thigh.

One bay gelding, 2 years old, branded reversed B and H on right thigh.

One bay mare, 2 years old, branded triangle 4 inside on left thigh.

One black gelding, 4 years, branded triangle 4 inside on left thigh.

One sorrel gelding, 5 years, branded reversed S over half diamond points up on right thigh.

One brown mare, 2 years old, branded quarter circle points up over S on left thigh.

One black gelding, 2 years old, branded anchor reversed L on left thigh.

One bay mare, 2 years old, branded bar over two C's back to back on left thigh.

One bay gelding, 2 years old, branded bar over 2 C's back to back on left thigh.

One sorrel mare, 7 year, no visible brand, white strip on face.

One black mare, 9 years, branded half circle over bar open A bar on right shoulder.

One sorrel mare, yearling, unbranded.

One black mare, 7 years, branded lazy 11 on left thigh.

One brown gelding, aged, branded reversed R inside triangle on left thigh.

One brown mare, 7 years, branded quarter circle over open A on left thigh, XII on right shoulder.

One bay mare, 9 years, branded C V on right shoulder.

One black mare, 5 years, branded hat over open A on left thigh.

One sorrel mare, 5 years, branded hat over open A on left thigh 2 reversed L connected on left jaw.

One bay mare, 5 years, branded 2 S on right thigh.

One roan mare, white strip on face, 4 years, bloched brand.

One brown gelding 3 years no visible brand.

One brown mare, 4 years, branded bar over pot hook on right jaw.

One bay gelding, 3 years branded

D R on right shoulder.

One sorrel gelding, 4 years, branded quarter circle points down over N on left shoulder.

One brown mare, 6 years, branded D reversed P on right thigh.

One black gelding, 5 years, branded C T on right shoulder

One brown mare, 8 years, branded 2T over quarter circle points down on right thigh.

One black mare, 4 years, branded on right thigh upside down U reversed L.

One grey gelding, 8 years, branded monogram TJF, the JF reversed on right jaw.

One grey mare, yearling, no visible brand.

One bay mare, 3 years branded quarter circle points down over H B.

One brown mare 8 years, branded JK connected on right shoulder.

One bay mare, 6 years, branded JK connected on right shoulder.

One bay mare, white spotted, 2 years, no visible brand.

One bay gelding, 4 years, branded half circle points down on right thigh

One black mare, 6 years, branded S over half circle points up on left shoulder.

One brown mare, 5 years, branded reversed C and J.

One black mare, 5 years branded U R on right shoulder.

One black gelding, 9 years, branded G upside down on right shoulder.

One brown mare, 9 years, branded lazy F and H connected on right thigh.

One white gelding, aged, branded SX on left thigh.

One bay mare, 8 years, branded D O on left thigh, 2 over C over bar on right thigh.

One grey gelding, 4 years, branded H on left shoulder.

One bay gelding, yearling, branded G S on right shoulder.

One brown mare, 5 years, branded reversed P over lazy reversed P on right thigh.

One sorrel gelding, 7 years, branded anchor flukes up on left jaw.

One black mare, 4 years, branded upside down J and T on right thigh.

One brown mare, 6 years, branded lazy A on left shoulder.

One black mare, aged, branded N T on left shoulder.

One blue mare, aged, no visible brand.

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Cowboy Life on a Western Ranch



- (1) Guy Weadick, of the T. S. Ranch, Longview, Alberta, Canada.
- (2) Miss Flores LaDue, world's champion lady fancy roper, Mr. Weadick's partner.
- (3) Broncho Buster on T. S. Ranch.

The romance of life among the cowboys on a Western ranch has been depicted so often in the movies that a number of people who go each year to the Canadian Rockies have said: "Why not spend our own vacation this way? Why not take a change from the big tourist hotels and do the thing in the real wild western style?" "Easiest thing in the world," said Guy Weadick, Stage-Manager for many of the great Stampedes and Frontier Day Celebrations at Calgary and elsewhere, and to make it easier still he secured the "T. S." Ranch in the foothills of the Rockies, near the ranch recently purchased by the Prince of Wales and in partnership with Miss Flores LaDue, the World's Champion Lady Fancy Roper, he has undertaken to entertain a few selected parties of those who desire to spend their holidays on a real Western Canadian Ranch, where fishing and hunting are plentiful and where the mountain scenery is magnificent beyond words.

The "T. S." Ranch is situated in the Eden Valley, right at the base of Mt. Head, on the trail that leads to Banff, 60 miles to the northwest, through the Stoney Indian reservation. Pack outfits are run from the ranch to the beautiful Kananaskis Lakes. Numerous other worth while pack trips can be made from the ranch through the Canadian Rockies.

From the ranch house through the hills it is 11 miles to the E. P. Ranch, the property of H.R.H. the Prince of Wales. Adjoining the T. S. on the eastern boundary is the famous Bar-U Ranch, the property of George Lane, one of the cattle kings of the Northwest, who also enjoys the distinction of being the largest owner of pure bred Percheron horses in the world. Although the town of High River is 35 miles away, and the nearest railroad point on the Canadian Pacific Railroad, there is a good auto trail through the valley from the T. S. Ranch direct to Calgary, the metropolis of Alberta, 60 miles away; the trip can be made by auto in three hours.

The mail for the ranch is received at Longview P.O., Alberta, and although it is twenty miles from the ranch, the cowboys are always on hand to see that the "mail" is delivered promptly. Once a week during the summer months the boys on the ranch put on exhibitions of their sports for the pleasure of the visitors. Riding of bucking horses, roping, cowboy races and the various other daredevil stunts dear to the cowboy's heart are indulged in.

Geologists will also find many opportunities for scientific research as the whole formation is an overthrust from the Old Man River south of the Crow's



Next Pass to Swift Current in the Glacier. Coal oil seepages are plentiful, new ones being discovered every once in a while.

Side trips along these routes can be made with husky pack dogs, to Virgin Valleys, which have never been explored by tourists. This is a form of sport, that as yet, has never before been introduced by guides and outfitters. Dog trains can be had for winter trips, but these trips are only suitable for people prepared to put in a certain amount of hardship and "real roughing it," as the tourist would have to do a good deal of snowshoeing.

One of the features of a visit to the T. S. Ranch is the fact that within a few hours after leaving the railroad, one finds oneself in the wilderness amongst the haunts of the big horn sheep and grizzly bear, where the rainbow and Dolly Varden trout disport themselves in the clear pools of snow-fed mountain streams.



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OUR BEEF AND PORK THIS WEEK, WAS BRED AND
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We wish you a Happy New Year and hope you all had a Merry Xmas. When we read of the privations of people in other lands our lot in life is not so unendurable after all. The past three years have hit the Merchant below the belt. He almost collapsed but with inherited vitality braced himself up for another battle with Fate. Xmas is past with its pleasurable associations and the New Year will soon be ushered in for us to make new resolutions. We will, during the month of January, take stock. Then after that is done we will put on sales from time to time. It would be unadvisable to have a general great sale, as money is scarce and hard to borrow, beg or steal. Instead we will have sales of particular lines. Probably we shall try and clear out Boots and Shoes first; then other lines will be taken in rotation. But for the convenience of country customers we will sell anything they want during the sale at cost. We think the time is coming when there will be a great slump in the price of goods through panics, rebellion, over-stocked warehouses, etc., and goods will be dumped on the market regardless of cost. In the meantime we are selling for cash or short monthly credit settlements.

A HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL
REACH & CO.

To our many old customers and
friends as well as the ever in-
creasing army of new ones

Seasons Greetings

and we hope that the year 1921
will cement still further our
pleasant relations

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MACLEOD TIMES

MACLEOD COUNCIL HELD POSTPONED MEETING DEC. 28

At the postponed meeting of Macleod Town Council held on December 28th there were present: Mayor Fawcett, Councillors McNichol, Gardiner and McDonald.

After adoption of minutes of last previous meeting the matter of several application to the council to take over certain properties for taxes was discussed and eventually laid over for future action, and accounts as passed by the finance committee were ordered paid.

The committee in charge was notified to have the Farmers' Shelter repaired for use.

On motion of McNichol and Gardiner certain rebates on soldiers' homes taxes were ordered granted and to be credited on outstanding taxes.

Secretary Brown was instructed to advertise for tenders for purchase of buildings on nuisance ground.

Adjournment.

DEATH OF CHARLES MURDOCH

Charles Murdoch died at the general hospital, Macleod, on Christmas Day, after about a month's lingering illness, following an operation for appendicitis about Nov. 22nd. The deceased had been a resident of Macleod and Blairmore for a number of years, being a member of the McLaren Lumber Co. staff at both places at different times for a period of nine years except for one year overseas. Mr. Murdoch was a member of the Presbyterian church and a good living man. He is mourned by his wife and a wide circle of friends and acquaintances in Macleod and Blairmore districts.

The funeral occurred last Monday and was conducted by the Macleod G.W.V.A., with military honors and was very largely attended. Service for the dead was conducted by Rev. Kennedy at the Presbyterian church at 2:45 p.m. and interment took place in the Union Cemetery, Macleod.

BISHOP McNALLY PRESIDES AT GOLDEN JUBILEE OF TWO PIONEER PRIESTS

Wednesday was a red-letter day at the Roman Catholic Mission at Stand-off on the Blood Indian Reserve. Bishop McNally, of Calgary, and many priests of the Province of Alberta foregathered there to honor two old missionaries, Rev. Father Doucet and Rev. Father Blanchet, who had both completed fifty years of priesthood.

A mass of thanksgiving was celebrated at 9:30 by the Rev. Father Doucet, and then at 10:30 a solemn

high mass was sung by the Rev. Father Blanchet in the presence of the Right Reverend Bishop and the visiting clergy. The deacon of the mass was the Rev. Father Pilon, of Pincher Creek, the sub-deacon Rev. Father Smith of Calgary, whilst Rev. Father Osborne assisted at the Bishop's throne. After the Gospel Bishop McNally preached an able and appropriate sermon, which was followed by another sermon in the language of the Blackfeet by the Rev. Father Le Verne, of the Peigan Reserve. Both preachers referred to the many sacrifices these two men had to make in the early days and the success that had attended their labors.

After the high mass a banquet was served by the sisters of the Blood Reserve to the visiting clergy and friends, at which the two jubiliarians received the congratulations and good wishes of all present.

A great number of Indians from both the Blood and Peigan Reserve attended the celebration, and took great delight in being able to show their appreciation of the work done amongst them in the past by the missionaries.

Taking advantage of the occasion the Bishop confirmed a large class of Indian children, and after the confirmation ceremony gave Benediction of the Most Holy Sacrament, Fathers Doucet and Blanchet acting as his assistants.

Messages of congratulation were received from many who could not attend, and a happy day was spent in renewing old friendships and discussing old experiences of the early days in Alberta.



Empress Theatre Mon. and Tues.

PRESIDENT'S REMARKS AT ANNUAL MEETING AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY

How to Make a Society a Failure

There are ten reasons how an agricultural society can be made a failure and I believe we can take them all pretty much as applying to any organization started up in Macleod. Let us all put our shoulder to the wheel and change things clean around—then we will surely make a huge success of our Agricultural Fair. We have good grounds and buildings and have some officers and directors who have been most faithful and loyal to the society or it would have been a thing of the past long ago. The following are the reasons mentioned:

1. Don't come to the meetings.
2. But if you do come, come late.
3. If the weather doesn't suit you, don't think of coming.
4. If you attend a meeting, find fault with the work of the officers and other members.
5. Never accept an office, as it is easier to criticise than to do things.
6. Nevertheless, get sore if you are not appointed on a committee, if you are, do not attend the committee meeting.
7. If asked by the chairman to give your opinion regarding some important matter, tell him you have nothing to say. After the meeting, tell everyone how things ought to be done.
8. Do nothing more than is absolutely necessary, but when other members roll up their sleeves and willingly, unselfishly use their ability to help matters along, howl that the association is run by a clique.
9. Hold back your dues as long as possible, or don't pay at all.
10. Don't bother about getting new members. "Let George do it."

SHERIFF'S SALE

PROVINCE OF ALBERTA TO WIT:
By virtue of a Writ of Execution issued out of the District Court of Lethbridge at the suit of Willis & Company, Limited, Plaintiff and Thomas Henry Crow and Maud Pollie Crow Defendants and to me directed against the Goods and Chattles of Thomas Henry Crow and Maud Pollie Crow, I have seized and taken into Execution the following Goods and Chattles, namely: One Willis Piano No. 20559 and one Piano Stool, which I shall expose for sale on Saturday, the 8th day of January, 1921, at the Court House at Macleod, Alberta, at the hour of 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

Sheriff's Office, December 20, 1920.
A. B. MACDONALD, Sheriff.
43-2t Macleod Judicial District.

MARRIED

Ernest McCrea, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. McCrea, Macleod, and Emma Foster, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. K. Foster, Spring Hill Nova Scotia, were united in marriage on Monday last at 1 p.m. at the home of the groom's parents. The bride was attended by Miss Anna Tabor, while Clarence McCrea, brother of the groom, acted as best man. After the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. Kennedy, about twenty guests sat down to a dainty luncheon. The bride was the recipient of many beautiful gifts and the happy couple left on the 3 o'clock train to spend their honeymoon in Nova Scotia, visiting the bride's parents and friends.

MIGHT HAVE SAVED IT

"Pat, here's the dollar I borrowed of ye last week."
"Bedad, Mike, I'd forgot all about it."
"Och, why the devil didn't ye say so?"—Boston Transcript.

A HAPPY NEW YEAR
To Everyone is the wish of

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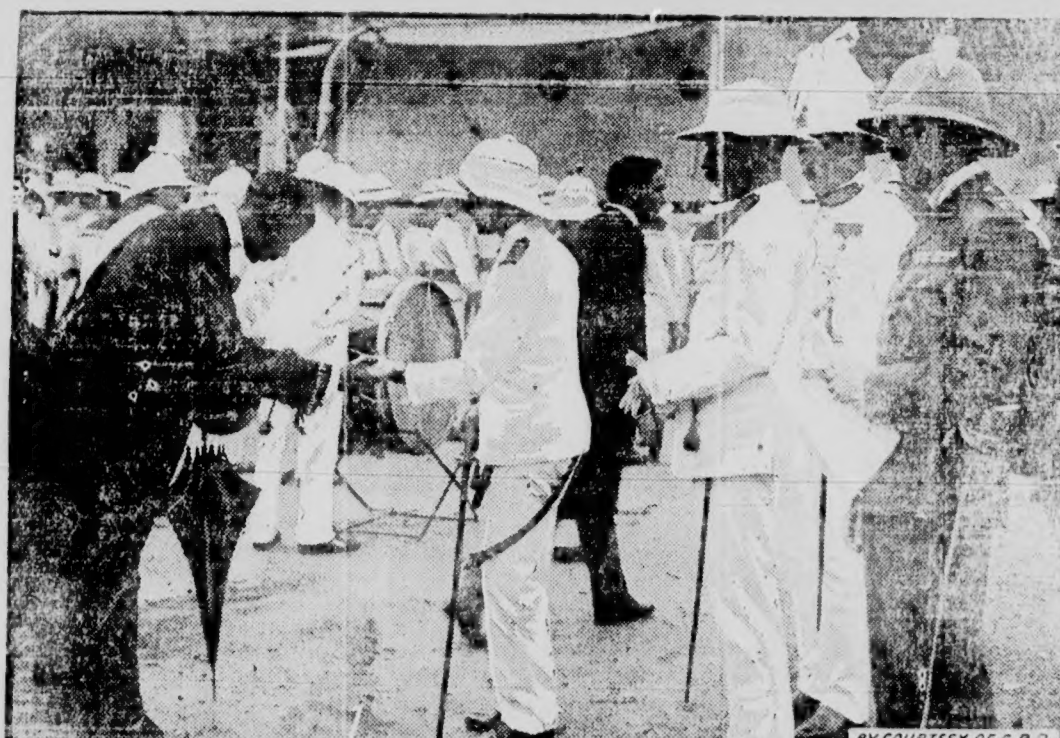
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At



Happy New Year To All
W. E. MACKIE — SHOEMAKER
Next Town Hall

The Prince—Honoring the Unknown



(1) The Prince of Wales Landing at Damerara, British Guiana.
(2) Armistice Day—Scene as the Coffin of the Unknown Hero Was Being Borne Out Into Westminster Abbey. Escorted by Britain's Most Famous Soldiers and Sailors.

NEW YEAR FLOWERS

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And be sure of getting
what you want. (We pay
express). Plants in stock.

Happy New Year To All

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Ernie McCrea spent Christmas in
Pincher Creek visiting friends.

Miss Evelyn Young is spending her
Xmas holidays with her cousin Olive
Young.

R. Forrest, of Calgary, spent the
Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs.
M. M. Black, the latter of whom is
his sister.

Miss Madge Benson, of Nobleford, and
Miss Ada Benson, of Calgary, are en-
joying the holiday season as guests
of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred
Benson.

Miss E. D. Bawden (sister of A. W.
Bawden) and who is principal of the
consolidated schools at Alix, Alta.,
spent Christmas as the guest of Mr.
and Mrs. Hawden.

The churches and the hospital de-
sire to thank the Hudson's Bay Com-
pany for the decorations received,
which were many and varied and
needless to say gave tone and appear-
ance wherever they were displayed.
We wish the firm, manager and
staff the season's kindest greetings.

The Annual Christmas Tree enter-
tainment was held in the Methodist
Church on Tuesday night. It was a
hilarious success. The children did
their parts on the program excellent-
ly. The little tots crowded the plat-
form and sang with a lustiness that
afforded a great pleasure to the au-
dience. The Fairy scene, by Miss Moss
class, was especially beautiful. Santa
Claus arrived in due time and receiv-
ed a welcome that resembled pandi-
monium. Every child received a gift
and a package of Candy. The Sun-
day School has been making fine pro-
gress during the past year.

The Salvation Army barracks on
Dec. 28th was decorated with all the
skill and taste that could be displayed
for the children of the Macleod Salva-
tion Army. The moment you crossed
the threshold there greeted you the
merry laughter of juniors and seniors
all out for merriment. The plat-
form was tastefully done up like an
old time Xmas den with an Xmas tree
on each side of the entrance as a
door into where lights of different
colors, presents and bags of candy
were displayed. The program con-
sisted of a fine supper graced with
games and recitations led by Lieut.
Battersby, who is a live Salvation
Army Officer with a future before
in this organization.

"The Cricket on the Hearth" staged
by the pupils of Grade Nine, Mac-
leod High School, on Tuesday, Dec-
ember 21st, in the Town Hall, drew
a capacity house and fully deserved
the patronage accorded. The play
was put on under the direction of Miss
Durnin. Characters as follows: John
Perrybingle, Olive Young; Dot, Mar-
jerie Ringland; Toy Merchant, Frank
Lyons; Caleb Plumber, Sydney
Brooks; Bertha, the blind daughter,
Nancy Robb; Edward Plumber, Al-
bert Webb; Tilly Slowboy, servant
girl of the Perrybingles, Margaret
Shield; May Fielding, the supposed
fiancee of Tackleton, Jimmie Thiel;
May's Mother, Mrs. Fielding, Emily
Waterbury; The Fairy Cricket, Betty
Watson; Dot's Mother and Father,
Millie Gillespie and Harold Millburn;
The Messenger Boy, Orville Kirk;
Stage Manager, Rusty Young. The
presentation of the various charac-
ters and parts shows considerable
histrionic talent on the part of the
pupils as well as able direction by
Miss Durnin. After the play a table-
au in oriental costumes was staged
by the girls of Grades 10 and 11, the
ensemble of which was lovely, both as
to personell and costumes. The pro-
ceeds went to the Macleod Hospital

and netted that institution \$80.00.

Mr. and Mrs. MacKinnon spent
Christmas in Okotoks.

Alex Watson, of Calgary spent
the Xmas holidays with his parents
in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Peterson spent Christ-
mas in Calgary, with Mr. Peterson's
father and mother.

G. H. Altham, Cascade, B.C., is
spending the Christmas holidays with
his family at Macleod.

Miss Lois Black, of Edmonton, was
the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. T.
Lenther over Christmas.

Murray Gardiner, of Red Deer,
spent Christmas with his parents, Mr.
and Mrs. R. J. E. Gardiner.

Alex McDonald returned last Fri-
day from Chicago, where he had
marketed a carload of cattle.

C. R. Hill, of Rocky Ford, formerly
of the Commerce staff here, spent
Christmas in town visiting friends.

Fast driving in town almost brought
forth an accident last week, when a
runabout going south on 3rd Avenue
struck a truck going east on 19th
street. The driver of the runabout
turned his car and ran along with the
truck, in this way avoiding a severe
accident. The cars were damaged
some, but one of the boys sitting on
the truck had his leg bruised and was
laid up for a few days.

Miss Pauline Lewis left this morn-
ing for Camrose to commence the
duties of her position as instructor in
the Normal School at that point. Miss
Lewis has taught in this community
(at Pearce and at Daley Creek) for
the past year. The department of
education doubtless took into consid-
eration Miss Lewis' ability in appoint-
ing her to the normal staff and while
she is to be congratulated it is de-
plored that she could not have been
kept in Southern Alberta.

The union Christmas Services in
the Methodist and Presbyterian
Church on Christmas Sunday proved
to be very successful. The Presby-
terian Church was filled in the morn-
ing and Rev. Kennedy delivered a
season Christmas message. The music
by the united choir was a very help-
ful feature. In the evening a large
congregation met at the Methodist
Church, and led by the excellent
choir the assembly joined heartily in
the opening hymn, "Hark, The Herald
Angels Sing." The pastor preached
on the Message of the Christ Child;
and the choir rendered two beautiful
anthems. There were many remarks
at the close of the day as to the in-
spiration received from the Christ-
mas services.

The Christ Church Sunday School
Xmas Tree was held at the Parish
Hall on Tuesday evening, Dec. 28th,
with a record attendance of children
and their friends. If noise is any
criticism of enjoyment then the chil-
dren certainly enjoyed themselves to
the full. The first hour was passed
with games and a short program of
recitations, after which the members
of the Sunday School Staff, with the
help of kind friends, served refresh-
ments. Santa Claus then appeared
and proceeded to distribute a goodly
supply of books, toys and candy. The
tree itself was a noble specimen, sup-
plied through the courtesy of the
Officer Commanding R.C.M.P., and
was prettily decorated.

On Dec. 23rd St. Andrew's Pre-
byterian Church Sunday School held
their Xmas tree entertainment in the
Town Hall. It was a real success in
every sense of the word. Everyone—
young and old—were out for a real
good time. Each one helped to make
the evening as pleasant as possible.
A magnificent large Xmas tree, the
present of Mr. R. J. E. Gardiner and
Mr. Dunston, for which we thank
these gentlemen, was decorated with
presents and bags of candy. The pro-
gram consisted of games—these were
thoroughly enjoyable—recitations and
piano selections by the scholars. The
little ones were not one whit behind
the others, under the leadership of
Mrs. Hill and Mrs. Porch. Mr. K. W.
Reikie, manager of the Lethbridge
Branch of the Canadian Bank of
Commerce, came up to spend the eve-
ning with his old scholars and friends
—needless to say he was well greeted
by the scholars, who sang lustily.
"Shine, shine shine where you are"
before he gave an address of good

Mr. FARMER

You carry insurance on yourself,
your home and your barn—
Then, why no insurance on your Live
Stock?

The General Animals Insurance Co.
of Canada

Happy New Year To All
GEO. H. SCOUGALL

Agent, Macleod, Alberta

cheer. Mr. Hunter also encouraged
the boys and girls with wise words of
counsel. Mr. R. Patterson superin-
tendent, was to the fore—chairman
and director of the evening festivities.
A graceful little act of presentation to
Miss Harris by the president of the
Ladies Aid for the highest sum re-
ceived for experience money.

"Getting Martha's Goat" is the title
of the leading story in "Rod and Gun
in Canada" for January. The author
is John Barker, a writer who injects
wit and humor into ordinary dry re-
citals of trips after various big game
in the Canadian Rockies. Bonnycastle
Dale tells of the biggest of big game
in North America—the moose. The
lover of history and adventure is taken
up through Northern Ontario to the
James Bay by L. T. Bowes, the
noted traveller. The Guns and Am-
munition Department for this inter-
esting issue carries an appeal from
the editor for the inclusion of the
whole family on the trips to the shoot-
ing range. Robert Page Lincoln,
M. U. Bates, F. V. Williams and the
various other departmental editors
have contributed their usual high class
articles. Canada's national sports-
man's monthly, for January is full of
interest to the lover of the out of
doors. "Rod and Gun in Canada" is
published monthly at Woodstock, On-
tario, by W. J. Taylor, Limited.

WILLIAM FAVERSHAM

The newest addition to the ever-in-
creasing ranks of the motion picture
stars is William Faversham, for many
years one of the most distinguished
actors of the English-speaking stage,
who makes his appearance in "The
Man Who Lost Himself," the first of
a series of Selznick Pictures featuring
this famous player.

"The Man Who Lost Himself," from
a book by H. de Vere Stacpoole, will
be shown at the Empress Theatre for
two days, beginning Wednesday next
week.

It is described as a mystery comedy
drama with setting in London. It
concerns the adventures of an Ameri-
can who goes to sleep one night as
plain Victor Jones, of Philadelphia,
and awakes the next morning as the
Earl of Rochester, with a household
of ornate servants and disagreeable
relatives, a beautiful wife from whom
he is supposed to be estranged, and a
reputation that makes him one of the
most-shunned men in English polite
society.

Poor Jones has an equally hard
time living up to the title or trying
to get away from it, and his numer-
ous odd adventures are said to con-
stitute one of the most remarkable
comedy dramas ever presented on the
screen, and a production fully worthy
of Mr. Faversham's talents.

A VACATION REVERIE

Little bank-roll ere we part,
Let me hug you to my heart,
All the year I've clung to you,
I've been faithful, you've been true.
Little bankroll, in a day,
You and I will start away,
To a gay and festive spot—
I'll come home, but you will not.

"How unworthy I am of you, dear,"
he murmured as he held her close.
"Oh Fred," she replied, "if you and I
only agreed on everything the way
you do on that how happy we would
be."

To wish
our
Patrons
and
Friends
a very
Happy
and
Prosperous
New
Year

DONEY



We extend to all our
Friends and Patrons
of Macleod & District
hearty
New Year Greetings
and Best Wishes for
their future
Health, Happiness
and Prosperity.

MACLEOD 1886 - 1920



VALIDITY OF LIQUOR ACT IS UPHOLD

EDMONTON, Alberta, Dec. 22.—On
the grounds that Magistrate Macleod
failed to decide according to the
evidence submitted to him, Mr. Jus-
tice Hyndman, in a lengthy judgment
handed down on Tuesday afternoon,
quashed the conviction registered in
the Alberta provincial police court
against the Nat. Bell Liquors, Limited,
as well as the order declaring the
forfeiture of the liquor.

The company was fined \$200 and
costs on October 21 for unlawfully
keeping liquor for sale, and on No-
vember 4 the magistrate issued an
order confiscating all the cases of
whisky in the company's warehouse,
valued at approximately \$50,000.

It is considered altogether unlikely
that the valuable stock will revert
immediately to the owners, as Sidney
B. Woods, K.C., counsel for the at-
torney-general's department, in-
timated during the course of the cer-
toriori proceedings that if an un-
favorable decision was given he
would immediately carry an appeal
to a higher court. Mr. Justice Hynd-
man will sit today to hear applica-
tions for an appeal.

Act Constitutional
Of almost more interest than the
judgment itself, is his lordship's stand-
on the question of the validity of the
Alberta Liquor Act. Mr. Justice
Hyndman takes a most decided stand,
and declares the act to be absolutely
constitutional, in his opinion, thereby
upsetting the surmises of those who
had believed that his decision might
be to declare the act ultra vires, with
even a return to the open bars as a
result, consequent upon the appellate
division of the supreme court of Al-
berta having split evenly on the ques-
tion of the constitutionality of the Al-
berta Liquor Act.

"In the Gold Seal vs. Dominion Ex-
press Company case," states the judg-
ment, "I stated that I was of the
opinion that the Liquor Act is valid,
and within the power of the provincial
legislature. But I have no reasons. I
am still of that opinion, notwithstanding
the very able argument made by
Mr. McCaul."—Calgary Herald.

HA! HA!

"Scribbler worked three days on a
bit of verse and then sold it for a
son."

"Too bad!"
"Oh, I don't know—it was a song."
—Life.

It isn't likely that Solomon succeed-
ed in convincing all his wives that a
word to the wise was sufficient.

MANDATE GIVEN TO JAPAN OVER THE GERMAN ISLANDS IN NORTH PACIFIC OCEAN

GENEVA, Dec. 18.—The council of
the League of Nations yesterday
afternoon, officially approved the
draft of the mandates for the former
German colonies submitted for ap-
proval by New Zealand, Australia,
Britain, the Union of South Africa
and Japan.

The Island of Samoa was officially
allotted to New Zealand, New Guinea
and other islands south of the Equator
were allotted to Australia and Nauru,
or Pleasant Island, in the Pacific, a
short distance south of the Equator
and just within the old German
sphere of influence, to Britain. Ger-
man Southwest Africa was allotted to
the Union of South Africa, and the
Pacific Islands, north of the Equator
were given to Japan.

The council defined the terms of
these mandates and laid down rules
under which the mandatories are to
administer the territory. The con-
sent of the council will be required
for any modification in the terms. In
the case of dispute between a man-
datory and another member of the
League of Nations relating to inter-
pretation of the provisions of the
mandates the dispute shall be sub-
mitted to the international court of
justice, provided it cannot be settled
by direct negotiations.

Under the provisions of the man-
dates the supplying of intoxicating
spirits or beverages to the natives
shall be prohibited and likewise mil-
itary training of natives unless for
police purposes or the defence of ter-
ritory, is not to be allowed. No mil-
itary or naval bases are to be per-
mitted on mandate territories. The
mandatories are to make a report to
the council of the League of Nations
annually.

Freedom of religious worship is to
be permitted, according to the stipu-
lations. Mandatories will have power
of administration and legislation over
territories subject to certain con-
ditions. They must see to it that the
slave trade is prohibited and that no
forced labor is permitted.—Calgary
Herald.

SH—H—!

A transmitter has been perfected
whereby the human voice can be
amplified one million times.

If this bit of news ever gets around
to William Jennings Bryan—Heaven
help us!—Life.

Mary had a little lamb
But now the lamb is dead.
It goes to school with Mary yet
Between two hunks of bread.

OLD-FASHIONED WAYS

I recollect when balanced feeds
Were never thought of on a farm,
When cows wuz handed out their
needs,

An' no one thought of hurt or harm
I recollect when barns wuz built
In sort of slung-together style,
An' no chap had a sense of guilt

Because it wasn't floored with tile
But it's been proved
That progress pays,
An coin ain't in
Old-fashioned ways.

I recollect when blood and breed
Uv cows wuz never talked about,
Some animal wuz all you'd need
To get the milk an' butter out.

Th' stalls wuz boards an' dirty straw;
The cream wuz set in mussy pans.
There wuz no rule ner dairy law.
Except some tarmal hired man's

But those were slack
And sorry days.
No profit in
Old-fashioned ways.

I recollect when plows were left,
An' harrows—standin' in the rain.
Th' weather sort of Mutt-and-Jeffed
Machinery, each day again.

Rust used to eat the dollars up.
As fast as we could bring 'em in.
Till worthless as a pizened pup,
It fell apart like so much tin.

But now we fondly
Turn our gaze
To safe, shrewd, wise
New-fangled ways!
—By W. L. Larned.

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Good selection of modern store
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these fixtures at any time. A
great opportunity to smarten up
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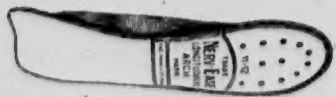


TENDERS

Tenders for the purchase of the
building situated on the South West
¼ Section 6 (adjoining nuisance
grounds) will be received by the un-
derigned up to noon of January 17th,
1921.

E. FORSTER BROWN,
Secretary-Treasurer.

A HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL



Nerv-Ease Arch Support

MAKES WALKING A PLEASURE

SEE THEM AT

FERGUSON'S - THE REXALL STORE